HSL TOURNAMENT #5

WHAT
Speech and Debate Non-Qualifying Tournament

WHERE
McKinley High School
1039 South King Street, Honolulu, Hawai‘i 96814

WHEN
Saturday, December 21, 2019

ENTRY DEADLINE
Wednesday, December 4, 2019 for registration, congressional bills, and judges.

PARTICIPATION
Open to all HSL member schools that have paid their HSL membership dues and submitted their signed membership form.

SPEECH AND DEBATE EVENTS
1. **STORYTELLING (ST):** No manuscripts may be used. Presentations must be prefaced by an introduction that includes the title and author of the selection. Selections must be from published or printed sources. Students are encouraged to use the floor space. MAXIMUM TIME: 8 minutes.
2. **PROGRAM ORAL INTERPRETATION (POI):** Manuscripts must be used. Presentations must be prefaced by an introduction that includes the titles and authors of each selection. Selections must be from published sources and be chosen from at least two genres: prose, poetry, drama. MAXIMUM TIME: 10 minutes.
3. **HUMOROUS (HI), DRAMATIC (DI) and DUO (DUO) INTERPRETATION:** Manuscripts can be used until January 1. Presentations must be prefaced by an introduction that includes the title and author of the selection. Selections must be from published sources. MAXIMUM TIME: 10 minutes.
4. **ORIGINAL ORATORY (OO):** Manuscripts can be used until January 1. Manuscripts must be the original work of the student and a copy of it must be available for verification at the tournament. Not more than 150 words of the oration may be direct quotations from any other source. MAXIMUM TIME: 10 minutes.
5. **IMPROPTU SPEAKING (IS):** Topics will include quotations, sayings, one-word items, personalities in the news, song titles, etc. Notes are NOT permitted during the delivery of the speech. PREPARATION TIME: 5 minutes. MAXIMUM TIME: 5 minutes.
6. **U.S. EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING (USX):** Topics will cover US foreign policy and US domestic issues. One note card with less than 50 words may be used prior to January 1. PREPARATION TIME: 30 minutes. MAXIMUM TIME: 7 minutes.
7. **INTERNATIONAL EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING (IX):** Topics will cover foreign policies and actions of many countries, including the United States. One note card with less than 50 words may be used prior to January 1. PREPARATION TIME: 30 minutes. MAXIMUM TIME: 7 minutes.
8. **PUBLIC FORUM DEBATE (BEGINNING and ADVANCED):** NSDA 2019 November/December PFD Topic (Topic will be released on October 1 at [http://www.speechanddebate.org](http://www.speechanddebate.org)).
9. **LINCOLN-DOUGLAS DEBATE (NOVICE and CHAMPIONSHIP):** NSDA 2019 November/December Topic (Topic will be released on October 1 at [http://www.speechanddebate.org](http://www.speechanddebate.org)).
10. **POLICY DEBATE (JUNIOR VARSITY and VARSITY):** NSDA 2019-2020 Topic—“Resolved: The United States federal government should substantially reduce Direct Commercial Sales and/or Foreign Military Sales of arms from the United States.”
11. **CONGRESSIONAL DEBATE (CD):** A mock legislative assembly competition where students draft bills and resolutions, which they and their peers later debate and vote to pass into law.

REGISTRATION
Registration must be processed using [https://www.tabroom.com](https://www.tabroom.com). You can access the TabRoom website by using our official League website [http://www.hawaiispeechleague.org](http://www.hawaiispeechleague.org). If you do not have a school username or password, please immediately contact Carol Halbur, HSL Tournament Director for the information.

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Please upload your legislation to [https://www.tabroom.com](https://www.tabroom.com). Send questions regarding your Congressional Debate panel to Nicholas Ernst, HSL Congressional Debate Chair. You can e-mail him at <nkernst@gmail.com> or call him at 721-0506 (cell).
LIMITS: Each school may register a maximum of forty (40) entries (with each Duo Interpretation, Policy Debate and Public Forum team count as one entry) in any combination of events listed above and a maximum of eight (8) congressional debate entries provided there are enough rooms to accommodate all entries. Double entries are NOT ALLOWED at this tournament.

FEES: $4.00 per participant. Duo Interpretation, Public Forum Debate, and Policy Debate entries must be paid according to number of participants, not number of entries.

PAYMENT
Payment is due before participation in the tournament. Payment may be mailed or hand delivered on the day of the tournament. CASH PAYMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. A personal check may be held in lieu of a school check on the day of the tournament. This check may be deposited after 30 days.

Make check payable to: HAWAII SPEECH LEAGUE
Checks should be mailed to the Treasurer: Karen Miyakado
1051 Mokuhano Street
Honolulu, HI 96825

JUDGES
Each school must provide one (1) judge for every Policy team, one (1) judge for every two (2) LD debaters, one (1) judge for every two (2) Public Forum teams, one (1) judge for every three (3) speech entries and (1) judge for every four (4) congressional debate entries. Schools that do not provide the required number of judges may have entries withdrawn from the tournament. We will be grateful for any additional judges you can provide. Please inform your judges to be at the school for the orientation at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday.

Register judges on https://www.tabroom.com. Please direct all changes to your judge's panel and questions regarding judges to Jon Hinderer, HSL Judges' Chairperson. You can e-mail him at <jonhinderer@gmail.com> or call him at (808) 687-0339 (cell).

TIMERS
The league is grateful for any timekeepers provided by participating schools. Orientation for timekeepers will start 15 minutes before the first round.

SCHEDULE Saturday, December 21, 2019
7:00 – 7:30 a.m. Registration
7:30 a.m. Judges Check-in & Instructions
ALL REGISTRATION FORMS DUE
7:30 a.m. Extempers draw topics for Round 1
8:00 – 9:45 a.m. Round 1 Speech & Debate
8:30 – 10:45 am Round 1 Congressional Debate
10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Round 2 Speech & Debate
11:15 – 1:30 p.m. Round 2 Congressional Debate
12:00 – 1:30 p.m. Round 3 Speech & Debate
3:00 p.m. Awards Ceremony

AWARDS: Certificates will be presented to participants in speech events who earn three or more superiors, in debate events who earn wins from more than half of their judges, and to the top six congressional debaters. Two team trophies will be awarded in speech events: one to the school with the greatest number of superiors and the other to the school with the highest percentage of superiors. Two team trophies will be awarded in debate events: one to the school with the most wins and the other to school with the highest percentage of wins. Teams must have at least five (5) entries to qualify for the team trophies.

DROPS/NO-SHOWS: Please contact Carol Halbur immediately if there are changes to your entries. You can e-mail her at <chalbur@punahou.edu> or call her at 943-3651 (office) or (808) 728-3672 (cell). All means will be used to reschedule the drops/no-shows prior to the start of the tournament. However, if rescheduling will result in extensive delays, the first round will commence with the no-shows included.