

Green Country Swing

Tulsa Community College (TCC) and Cameron University (CU) invite you to support the return of our Green Country Swing Tournament. The tournaments will be held at Tulsa Community College (Northeast Campus) on November 15th through November 17th. Entries will be organized through the “joy of tournaments” website: <http://www.joyoftournaments.com>

The tournament will feature Novice, Varsity, and Professional divisions of IPDA style debate. On Sunday, the Cameron portion of the Swing will also offer Lincoln Douglas debate. In addition we will be offering the 11 NFA Individual Events.

The TCC Northeast Campus is located at 3727 E. Apache (the corner of Harvard and Apache), just off Highway 11, two miles west of the Tulsa International Airport. Registration is in the Student Activities Building on the East side of the campus. We have listed hotels that are located within five miles of the campus. The two official hotels are located two miles from the tournament. Several other hotels are located with 5 miles or less - just south on highway 169 to I-44 then exit on Memorial.

With your help, this tournament will mark lasting growth in the breadth, depth, and intensity of competitive speech and debate in our little corner of the world. Join us, and we'll make this happen: 15th through the 17th of November!

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General Tournament Information

IPDA Debates Notes

*For scheduling reasons, participants in IPDA debate will **ONLY be able to enter in Flight B individual events** (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro) for the first half of the Swing (Friday/Saturday).

If your squad hasn't tended to participate in IPDA debate, this tournament will be your best chance to test your skills. We are laser-focused on substantial topics and excellent judging. While maintaining community norms favoring lay judging, we are spending substantial effort to bring in a pool of intelligent, conscientious, open-minded, and educationally productive judges so that the arguments you make receive the best possible reception, evaluation, and feedback.

Again we are offering IPDA "Public Debate" to the Midwest. IPDA out-rounds will be held on Saturday. There will be three divisions, Novice, Varsity, and Professional. The IPDA rules can be found at: <http://www.ipdadebate.info> This format will allow us to run a full 8 round tournament- maximum practice, maximum feedback, maximum enjoyment. We will focus on providing excellent judging and topics of substance.

IPDA time formats are as followed (No prep time in round – Draw 30 minutes before the round starts).

1 st Affirmative	5 minutes
Cross Ex	2 minutes
1 st Negative	6 minutes
Cross Ex	2 minutes
1 st Affirmative Rebuttal	3 minutes
1 st Negative Rebuttal	5 minutes
2 nd Affirmative Rebuttal	3 minutes

Students will first meet at the same location as extemp draw to pick their topic. There will be five topics, with the negative striking one, then the affirmative, then the Neg, then the Aff, and the last resolution will be debated. Students can then use any form of research with prep time lasting 30 minutes. Here is an example of a pre-round resolution sheet.

Sample IPDA Resolutions

1. RE: Hillary in 2016.
2. RE: Racism killed Trayvon.
3. RE: America's global leadership is ending.
4. RE: Now is the time.
5. RE: Technology is a net-positive for society.

Although IPDA is lax on prep materials, no printed evidence should be brought into the debate

round. Use of evidence and common knowledge is similar to NPDA usage.

Judges for IPDA can be lay which include coaches, parents, IE students, Comm. students, anybody outside of high school. IPDA prides itself on having a diverse judging pool so that debaters must adapt to extremely varying paradigms.

IPDA is growing in the region, but has limited availability in the Central States. It is our desire to help bring this event to our students to provide: easier integration to competitive debate, a testing ground for concise and effective persuasion in an efficiency-dependent format, a chance for more preliminary debates (and topic exposure) than longer formats often allow.

Lincoln Douglas Debate Notes

* For scheduling reasons, all Lincoln Douglas debate participants may not be cross entered with any other events on Sunday.

The 2013 - 2014 Lincoln Douglas debate resolution is:

Be it Resolved: The US Federal Government should substantially reform elementary and/or secondary education in the United States.

The format for these debates is as follows:

- 1st Aff. constructive - 6 minutes
- Cross Examination - 3 minutes
- 1st Neg. constructive - 7 minutes
- Cross Examination - 3 minutes
- 1st Aff. rebuttal - 6 minutes
- Neg. rebuttal - 6 minutes
- 2nd Aff. rebuttal - 3 minutes
- Prep time: 4 minutes

Much more information can be found here:

<http://www.nationalforensics.org/lincoln-douglas-debate/>

Awards

Trophies will be given to top 6 finalists in IE events and top speaker in debate.

Overall Sweepstakes

We shall award sweepstakes trophies to the top three schools in IE events and top three debate teams. A school must be entered in both debate and IEs to be eligible to win the overall sweepstakes trophy.

Sweepstakes Formula:

Points for debate prelim wins will be: IPDA win or bye = 4 points; LD = 2.5 points.

Debate speakers will be awarded 6 points for 1st Speaker; 5 points for 2nd Speaker; 4 points for 3rd Speaker; 3 points for 4th Speaker; 2 points for 5th Speaker and 1 point for 6th Speaker. I.E.'s will earn 3 points for a ranking of 1 in prelim rounds; 2 points for a ranking of 2; and 1

point for a ranking of 3. Competitors in the finals will be awarded 6 points for 1st Place; 5 points for 2nd place; 4 points for 3rd Place; 3 points for 4th Place; 2 points for 5th Place and 1 point for 6th Place.

IE Events	Debate
6 pts for 1 st place	4 pts for a win or bye
5 pts for 2 nd place	0 pts for a loss
4 pts for 3 rd place	
3 pts for 4 th place	
2 pts for 5 th place	
1 pt for 6 th and below places	

Entry Information

Submit all entries through the Joy of Tournaments at: <http://joyoftournaments.com>

ALL entries must be received no later than **7:00 p.m. (CST), Monday, November 11th**. Fees will be assessed upon your entry as it stands at 5:00 p.m. (CST), Wednesday, November 13th. All changes after that deadline will be assessed a nuisance fee. See "Fees" listed below. **To enter the tournament, log in and enter your tournament information on <http://joyoftournaments.com>.**

Conflicting Entries

A student may enter up to three events in both conflict patterns. No student will be allowed to enter more than three events per conflict pattern as this tends to make the tournament not run on time. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

See notes on IPDA and LD above for restrictions on debate/IE cross-entry.

Payment Information

Please make POs and checks out to:

TCC Forensics

Attn: Donna Goodwin

3727 E. Apache

Tulsa, OK 74115

FED ID # is: 73-6017987

Fees

IPDA & LD - \$35.00

Individual Events - \$8.00 per event

Duo - \$10.00

Uncovered IPDA or LD Judge - \$30.00 (1 judge covers 4 entries)

Uncovered Individual Events Judge(s) - \$10.00 per slot (1 judge covers 6 entries per pattern.)

All changes after , including drops, at registration will be subject to a \$20 fee per change. We **NEED** your judges, not your money!

Drop Fees: Fees will be assessed on Wednesday at 5:00 pm, any drop after that date will incur a drop fee of 15.00 per IE entry and 25.00 per debate entry.

Judging Obligations:

Judges are obligated for one round after their team has been eliminated from competition.

Hotel Information

* Clarion Inn - Tulsa Airport
2201 N. 77th E. Ave (Highway 11)
Tulsa, OK 74115
(918) 835-9911 EXT: 321
\$69.00 (4 adults) + tax
Call Dan Schutzenhofer
(25 non-smoking queen dbl.
& 10 king Blocked until Nov. 1st)
Group ID 1434572 ask for Tulsa CC
Forensics - Speech & Debate or
Green Country Swing.

Super 8 (I-44 & Memorial)
3211 S. 79th E. Ave.
Tulsa, OK
918 (660-8080)
\$65.00 2 dbl beds

* Hilton Garden Inn – Tulsa Airport
7728 E. Virgin Court (off Highway 11)
Tulsa, OK 74115
(918) 838-1444 x 5015
\$89.00 + tax 2 queen beds
(20 Rooms Blocked - held until Nov. 8th
ask for Tulsa CC Forensics - Speech &
Debate or Green Country Swing)
Call Ryan Grayson

Quality Suites (I -44- & Memorial)
3112 S. 79th.
Tulsa, Ok
(918) 858-9267
Queen \$70.00 Singles \$65.00

*Official Tournament Hotels

Tulsa Community College Tournament Tentative Schedule

Friday – November 15, 2013

11:00-12:00 Registration (Student Union 2nd floor on East side of campus)

12:00-1:30: DRAW IPDA Round 1

1:30-3:00: DRAW IPDA Round 2

3:00-4:30: DRAW IPDA Round 3

4:30-6:00: DRAW IPDA Round 4

6:00-7:00 Dinner Break!!!

7:00-8:30: DRAW IPDA Round 5

Flight A Events: (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

Flight B Events: (Extemp, Informative, Persuasive, Communication Analysis, DI, and Pro)

Saturday – November 16, 2013

7:00-8:00: Registration, Group Caffeine-Intake, and Struggle-for-Alertness (Student Union 2nd floor on East side of campus)

7:30: DRAW IPDA Round 6

8:00-9:15 Round I, Flight A (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

8:45: Extemp Draw

9:15-10:30 Round I, Flight B (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro)

10:30: Quarterfinal IPDA Draw

11:30-12:30 Lunch

12:30-1:45: Round II, Flight A (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

2:00-2:30: Extemp Draw

2:30-3:45: Round II, Flight B (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro)

4:00: Semifinal IPDA Draw

4:00-5:15: Finals for A Events (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

5:15: Final IPDA Draw

5:30-6:00: Extemp Draw for Finals

6:00-7:15: Finals for Flight B (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro)

Awards – ASAP

Sunday – November 17, 2013

7:00-7:30 (Registration Student Union 2nd floor on East side of campus)

8:00: Round 1 LD

8:00-9:15 Round 1 Flight A and (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

8:45: Extemp Draw

9:15: Round 2 LD

9:15-10:30 Round I Flight B (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro)

10:30: Round 3 LD

10:30 - 11:45 Round 2 Flight A (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

11:45 - 12:30: Lunch

12:30: Extemp Draw

1:00: Round 4 LD

1:00-2:15: Round 2 Flight B (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro)

2:30: Semifinals for LD

2:30-3:45 Flight A Finals (Poetry, POI, Impromptu, ADS, and Duo)

3:15 - 3:45: Extemp Draw for Finals

3:45: Finals for LD

3:45-5:00 Flight B Finals (Extemp, Info, Per, CA, DI, and Pro)

5:00 (or ASAP) Awards Assembly

The tournament hosts reserve the right to make changes to the schedule as warranted.