

Bay Area Regional Science Olympiad Coach/Team Tournament Information – PLEASE READ AND SHARE WITH TEAMS!

Event Paperwork available on website at www.bayareascioly.com.

- **Team List** due at event day registration, must be signed by school principal. No more than the 15 students listed can participate. Alternates are listed so a team advancing to the State Finals can use an alternate to replace a regular team member for that tournament only. An alternate team member can impound only.
- **Permission to Participate** due at event day registration, one per participant listed on Team List
- **Conduct Agreement** due at event day registration, must be signed by principal and coach
- **Event Ticket due at each event on event day**, must have school or team name, team number, and participant names clearly written on the ticket. They are used at the Awards ceremony.

Parking & Registration

- *Parking* is free on event day at lots G & H
- Teams may set up their *meeting area* **OUTSIDE** anywhere on campus. **IMPORTANT Do not set up a meeting area on the lawn between the VBT and Science Building.** That area is reserved for BOTTLE ROCKETS. Please **do not block doors or hallways**. BBQs or open flames are not allowed. Be sure to clean your area before leaving. **Do NOT use stakes in the lawn areas**
- Team Coach *registers their team* beginning at 7:00 AM at Room N 125. In exchange for the paperwork indicated above, coaches will receive a wrist band for each participant listed on their team list and a coach name tag. Final Schedules and other paperwork will also be available.

Event Supe/Coaches Meeting 7:45 – 8:15 am, Room N 120. Last minute changes and information will be presented as well as Q & A.

Event Day Food for Purchase Options Starbucks at the Library opens at 10:30am, POD Market opens at 11:00am, Dining Commons (cafeteria) opens at 10:30am for Brunch. Bronco Billy's Pizza, China Best, and Subway are off campus, a five minute walk on Hayward Blvd.

Participant Information

- Team coaches are responsible for the conduct of their students and guests at all times (see Conduct Agreement).
- Participants can only bring an Event Ticket, pencil and anything indicated in the rules to their events.
- Only participants can impound devices and ask an Event Supervisor, on event day only, to change a time slot for an ESUS event only.
- Participants must attend an event at the time indicated on the Event Schedule by team number or on the ESUS Event Boards or they will be **disqualified from the event**. Event Supervisors cannot make an exception for the non-ESUS events.
- During an event a participant may approach the Event Supervisor if they feel there is a rule violation. If not resolved, then the team coach may submit an appeal (forms available at scoring room). **Please ask participants to thank the event volunteers as they leave each event.**

Official Tournament Rules available at www.norcalscienceolympiad.com click "rules".

Awards & Final Scores

- Bleacher seating: teams are seated in the bottom rows of bleachers or on the gym floor, guests in upper rows please.
- Medals awarded for top 5 scores in each event and top 3 places for team overall scores. Top 4 teams in each division advance to the NorCal State Finals (only one team per school site- see rules).
- Following the end of the Awards Ceremony a team coach or appointee **must exchange the coaches name tag for a final overall score sheet. Thirty minutes after the end of the Awards the scores are officially final.**
- Event tests, score sheets, and checklists **will NOT be reviewed or returned.**

Best of luck to you and your teams. Enjoy a fun day of science!