



Dear Quizbowl Coach(es),

The Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology would like to invite you to compete in our first Quizbowl Tournament, the GSMST Invitational Scholar's Bowl Tournament*, on April 25, 2015. We will be mirroring the Potatoville Tournament written by students of Northern Illinois University. This set is a regular difficulty set, comparable to GSAC. The initial field cap for the tournament is eighteen teams. Up to five players can compete on a single team.

The format for this tournament will be twenty tossups with three part bonuses. Powers and negs will be in effect, and there will be no bouncebacks. We hope to take individual statistics at the tournament, as we feel it may help coaches and players to better assess their strengths and areas to improve in.

In terms of timing, the tournament will run from 8:30-5:00, with registration beginning at 8. The format for the tournament is a divisioned round robin, which will be followed for both the prelim and the playoff rounds. Our goal is to offer at least ten rounds of play to each team, provided the field is full and teams are present for the entire tournament. Therefore, please plan on staying for the entire tournament if you choose to register. We hope this option will provide a strong value to attending teams.

Since this is our first tournament, we will not be offering lunch; however, there are a large number of fast food eateries within walking distance of the school. These include a number of vegetarian options such as Subway, Quiznos, and Taco Bell, among others. We will also be selling baked goods/refreshments during the tournament.

The cost for the tournament is \$70 for the first team, \$65 for the 2nd team, and \$60 for any additional teams a school may want to bring. There is a \$5 discount for bringing in a working buzzer system (limit 2). There is a \$5 discount for bringing a worker, preferably a reader. The minimum fee for a single team is \$50. The fee for out of state schools is a flat \$50 (no further discounts).

If you have any questions please send an email to nriddkala1@gmail.com or michelle_fowler@gwinnett.k12.ga.us. You can also call GSMST at 678-518-6700.

We look forward to seeing teams from Georgia and surrounding states come to compete at GSMST!

GSMST Invitational Scholar's Bowl Tournament
April 25, 2015

REGISTRATION FORM

School Name:

School Address:

Coach's Name:

E-mail address:

Contact Phone #:

Number of teams:

Number of buzzer systems you can bring:

Number of workers you can bring:

Cost: \$70 for first team, \$60 each for any additional teams

Subtract \$5 for each buzzer system (up to 2) and \$5 for each worker (limit 1)

First team: \$70

Additional teams: (no. x \$60): ____

Buzzer system (max 2): -\$5 x no. ____

Worker discount (max 1): -\$5 ____

Total Cost: \$_____

Please mail this completed form along with a check for your registration fees.
The check should be payable to GSMST or GSMST Academic Team.

Mail to:

GSMST Academic Team

Attention: Michelle Fowler

GSMST

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