

2015-2016 SWSC Fall Mathlete Coaches' Meeting

9/3/15 @ Lincoln-Way North

Attendance

Andrew	Eric Johnson
Bolingbrook	Chris Mallon
Bradley	Mark Hampton
Homewood-Flossmoor	Michael Sacks
Joliet West	Dan Spradley, Danielle Perez
Lincoln-Way Central	Ashley Schliffka
Lincoln-Way East	Laura Radakovitz, Jeff Behm
Lincoln-Way West	Holly Misener
Lincoln-Way North	Jenny Reusz
Lockport	Carin Cooper
Sandburg	Ed Ronquillo
Stagg	Mark Lyons
Thornridge	Dan Beisaida
Thornton	Dan Dominik
Thornwood	Christine Woods
Statistician	Ricky Perez
SWSC representative	Ian MacLeod

- I. Call to Order
 - a. President (LW North) calls meeting to order at 4:00
- II. Welcome, Introductions, Attendance
- III. Amend/Approve Minutes from Spring 2014 Meeting
 - a. Motion to approve with no amendments by Thornton. Seconded by Thornridge.
Approved unanimously.
- IV. SWSC Business (Ian MacLeod)
 - a. Ian encouraged coaches to check out the swsc activities website
 - b. Awards were handed out to schools hosting conference; they have been checked multiple times, but if you find an error please let Ian know ASAP
- V. Host schedules for 2015-2016
 - a. Thornwood requested not to have 2 oral judges at Contest 2—they will now be in charge of the alternate room instead and Bradley will take the oral; schedule online reflects the change
 - b. There was a lot of discussion regarding having a difficult time finding judges especially for the oral competition.
 - i. Suggestions for judges included teachers from other departments, retirees, student teachers and former math team members.
 - ii. If a school cannot find the required number of judges they should contact the host ASAP and should email all coaches to see if anyone has an extra judge they could bring. The school in need of a judge will still be required to pay the 'substitute' judge and will need to be sure to bring W-9 paperwork so their school can pay the judge

- VI. Webmaster (Eric Johnson)
 - a. Everything on the website is up to date with all information he has received
- VII. Statistician (Ricky Perez)
 - a. Joliet West too oral envelopes for Joliet Central
 - b. The distribution of questions will be posted on the website
 - i. Bolingbrook will bring Joliet Central's folder to the contest
 - c. Ricky has 3 stopwatches that were left in a brown contest folder. If you are missing stopwatches please contact her.
 - d. The oral reference for functions has been emailed to coaches and is also posted on the website.
 - i. There is a lot of emphasis on piecewise functions.
 - ii. Note that $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x & x \leq 3 \\ x + 3 & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$ is a function
 - iii. Just a reminder that coaches will be given a set of date to enter for the Equations of Lines oral before the 3rd contest
- VIII. Organization of contest after Joliet and LWN leave the conference
 - a. The 3 schools will be removed from the officer rotation
 - b. Contest/Sit organization for the future
 - i. One 6 school site requiring 36 students in a room and a 7 school site where the competition rooms will be split into 2 rooms for each competition. Oral rounds will start prep at 6:20 with the host school and the other closest 2 schools going first. Orals will finish at 8:05. —Motion to approve by Thornridge. Second by Bradley. Approved unanimously.
 - ii. There will be 7 schools in the Blue Division and 6 in the Red Division with the same current procedure for deciding what schools are in each division. —HF motioned to approve. Andrew seconded. Approved unanimously.
- IX. Adjournment
 - a. Thornton motion to adjourn at 5:00, seconded by Thornridge.