Fairfield High School



Julie Steen, Scholars' Bowl Coach Chris Hewitt, Activities Director Jessica Mathes, 6-12 Principal

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Dear Scholars' Bowl Coach,

Congratulations on qualifying for the 2022 1A D1 State Scholars' Bowl Tournament!

The purpose of this letter is to invite you to join us at Fairfield High School for the 2021-2022 State Scholars' Bowl Tournament on Saturday, February 12, 2022. We have 12 teams involved in this meet, filling two six-team pools (which will be set by KSHSAA). Registration will run from 11:00-11:45 AM in the commons, followed by a coaches/participants meeting at 11:45 in the cafeteria and play at 12 PM. We will have six rooms running simultaneously for pool play, hopefully helping us to be finished around 2 PM, with finals finishing around 4PM. A schedule will be included in your packet that lists rounds, rooms, etc the day of the tournament.

The tournament will be a round-robin format with teams divided into two pools of six as determined by the KSHSAA. The top three teams from each pool will advance to the finals, which will also be round robin, where they will compete to be 1A D1 State Champions. The champion, runner-up, etc. will then be determined based on standard KSHSAA tie-breaker rules. We will be using the questions provided by KSHSAA in this tournament. Trophies will be presented to the top three teams, and medals to the top four. This will be done in our cafeteria following the competition.

We will be providing a concession stand to all participants, spectators and drivers from 10:30AM-4:00PM. The meal deal is \$5 and includes a main dish (pizza, hamburger or hotdog), chips, dessert and a drink. The nearest "quick" food will be in Hutchinson, Pratt or Kingman. There are sit-down restaurants in Stafford or Arlington. We thought a full \$5 meal might be the best way to keep the kids from being hungry during competition. If your participants don't opt for a meal deal, a bottle of water will be provided at no charge. Coaches will have a similar meal option via hospitality, and will be provided with a coupon in their packets. The concession will remain open, but there will be no breaks or bye-rounds during pool play.

We ask that you park in the large parking lot south of the school. A map is attached to this email. When you enter the main doors the registration table will be right in front of you.

T-shirts will be available for sale at the State Tournament. A flyer is enclosed in this email with information. In the event of **inclement weather**, contact will be made regarding a new date. The decision to postpone will not be made until we consult with Mr. Rod Garman of the KSHSAA. If there is a decision to postpone the event, we will let you know about the postponement and about new arrangements as soon as we possibly can. Please make sure we have a contact number for you. Please submit a TRA form to me for this reason.

You will need to submit form SB-3 to the KSHSAA offices by February 8, along with your \$100 State Tournament registration fee. And, please make sure to submit your Entry Form SB-2 to Julie Steen (jsteen@usd310.org) so that we have your team roster. These should be submitted by February 10. (I have included them in this email.) If you have any questions, please feel free to email either of us at the addresses below, or call us at (620) 596-2152. Finally, if you have a buzzer system, we ask that you please bring it, as we will be having pool play in six rooms.

Congratulations on your teams' accomplishments! We are looking forward to hosting you on the 12th!

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2022 1A State Scholars' Bowl Schedule

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
11:00 am-11:45 am	\$5 Meal Deal for Participants, Spectators and Drivers Hospitality for coaches, water for participants	Concession/Cafeteria
11:00 am-11:45 am	Registration	Commons
11:45 am	Coach/Participant Meeting	Cafeteria
12:00 pm	Competition Begins	6 Rooms
2:00 pm	Round Robin Ends	
	Championship Seeding	Cafeteria
2:15 pm	Championship Round Robin Begins	3 Rooms
3:45 pm	Presentation of State Champions, State Runner-up, 3 rd Place, 4 th Place	Commons
4:00 pm	Travel Home	

Directions to Fairfield



From Hutchinson: Take K-61 Southwest to <u>Langdon</u> go North on Langdon Road about 5 miles. The school will be on your right hand side. (Approximate time from Hutchinson: 30 minutes)

From Pratt: Take K-61 Northeast to <u>Langdon</u> go North on Langdon Road about 5 miles. The school will be on your right hand side. (Approximate time from Pratt: 30 minutes)

From Kingman: Take HWY 400/US 54 four miles west to HWY 11. Drive north on HWY 11 for 15 miles until you reach K-61. Turn left, going southwest on K-61 to **Langdon** go North on Langdon Road about 5 miles. The school will be on your right hand side. (Approximate time from Kingman: 30 minutes)

From Stafford: Take HWY 50 east to Langdon Road - about 15 miles. Go South on Langdon Road for 8 miles. The school will be on your left hand side. (Approximately time from Stafford: 25 minutes)

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