



You are invited to attend the 21st Annual Fayette Classic held at Fayette County High School on October 7-8, 2016. Fayette County High School is located in historic Fayetteville, Georgia, thirty minutes south of Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport.

We are excited to announce that Fayette Classic was named a bid tournament to the **National Individual Events Tournament of Champions**, which will be held in Kansas City, MO from May 12-14, 2017.

The following events are eligible for NIETOC bids:

- Oratory
- Dramatic Interpretation
- Humorous Interpretation
- Duo Interpretation
- Duet Acting

The number of bids offered will depend on the number of contestants in each division:

< 20 contestants	First Place Will Earn a Bid
20-34 contestants	First, Second, and Third Will Earn a Bid
35-50 contestants	All Final Round Contestants Will Earn a Bid
51-70 contestants	All Semi-Final Round Contestants Will Earn a Bid
71-99 contestants	All Quarter-Final Round Contestants Will Earn a Bid
100+ contestants	All Octo-Final Round Contestants Will Earn a Bid
In Duet Acting and Duo Interpretation, each entry counts as two contestants.	

We also offer many other divisions for competition in debate and speech including:

- Novice & Varsity Public Forum
- Novice & Varsity Policy Debate
- Novice & Varsity Lincoln Douglas
- Extemporaneous Speaking
- Program of Oral Interpretation
- Impromptu

We are pleased to offer **Big Questions Debate**, this year. Three rounds of this new NSDA event will occur Friday afternoon, and contestants can enter for free! “Entries from participating schools and any judges they provide consent to the rules of the Big Questions event, including the format and topicality guidelines. Schools should provide their judges with access to the National Speech & Debate Association’s judge training resources prior to the tournament. Event resources for students and coaches are provided by the NSDA. Judges and competitors will also be asked to complete a brief survey before leaving the tournament site.”

Debate divisions with fewer than 10 entries will be collapsed to intensify the competition. Speech contestants will be permitted to double enter in any of the divisions above.

There will be an open chamber Congressional Debate, Friday afternoon and after preliminary rounds of speech and debate. Students are permitted to enter and exit the chamber as needed.

All contestants must remain on campus during the competition, so your team will not risk being late to their rounds. Being over 15 minutes late to a round can result in forfeiture.

The Fayette Classic will provide an array of food options for judges/coaches and students.

I hope to see you all here in October. If you need additional information or have any questions, feel free to contact me by phone, 404-316-5244, or email, Kelly.Beverly@mail.fcboe.org.



Event	Price of Entry	Judging Obligation
Dramatic Interpretation	\$15	1 Judge per every 5 entries
Duo Interpretation	\$30	
Duet Acting	\$30	
Extemporaneous Speaking	\$15	
Humorous Interpretation	\$15	
Impromptu	\$15	
Oratory	\$15	
Program Oral Interpretation	\$15	
Novice Lincoln Douglas	\$15	
Varsity Lincoln Douglas	\$15	
Novice Public Forum	\$30	1 Judge per every 2 entries
Varsity Public Forum	\$30	
Policy Debate	\$30	1 Judge per every 2 entries
Open Chamber Congress	\$0	None
Big Questions Debate	\$0	1 Judge per every 2 entries
Judge Hire Fees		
Individual Events		\$75
Lincoln Douglas		\$75
Policy Debate		\$100
Public Forum		\$75
A school fee of \$25.00 will apply to all schools.		



21st Annual Fayette Classic Speech & Debate Tournament	
Friday, October 7, 2016	
4:30 PM	Registration for Big Questions Debate BQD Judge Training
5:00 PM	Round 1- BQD
6:15 PM	Round 2- BQD
Dinner	
7:45 PM	Round 3- BQD
Saturday, November 21, 2015	
7:30 AM – 8:00 AM	Registration for all events
8:30 AM	Round 1- CX
	Round 1- VPF, NPF, NLD, VLD
	Round 1- IEs
10:00 AM	Round 2- VPF, NPF, NLD, VLD
10:30 AM	Round 2- CX, IEs
11:30 PM	Round 3- VPF, NPF, NLD, VLD (Powered)
Lunch	
1:00 PM	Round 3- CX, IEs
1:30 PM	Round 4- VPF, NPF, NLD, VLD (Powered)
2:30 PM	Round 4- CX, IEs
3:00 PM	Break Round 1- VPF, NPF, NLD, VLD
3:30 PM	Open Chamber Congress
4:00 PM	Break Round 1- IEs, CX
	Break Round 2- VPF, NPF, NLD, VLD
5:15 PM	Break Round 2- IEs, CX
7:00 PM	Awards Ceremony
* Being over 15 minutes late to a round will result in forfeiture. Please remain on campus. This schedule may be accelerated at any point.	

Beverly Kelly, Director of Speech and Debate
 Jubin Thomas, NSDA Chapter President
 Aaron Hypolite, Debate Captains
 Oluwatobi Odugunwa and Sanaa Yusuf, Speech Captain