

**Golden Gate Speech Association
Coaches Meeting at Miramonte
Saturday September 30, 2006**

Agenda/9:00 A.M.

- Call to Order at 9:10 am by President Wilford
- Introductions
- Minutes from May 2006 - approved on voice vote
- Officer Reports
- **President:** Janet Willford
 - NFL Victories! Monte Vista, Logan and Miramonte did well! Logan 1st PLACE in DUO - 1st time ever California won Policy Debate. Logan won most rounds!
 - New curriculum DVD OA...free when you pay your CHSSA dues by Dec. 1st
 - Allocations - Virtually the same as last year...good that we haven't lost any!!!!
 - CHSSA assessment Forms - please get them and submit them ASAP...you can get them from the CHSSA website cahssa.org.
 - Sandy Berman - sadly, Janet shared news of his passing. Discussion of what to do. Suggestion of naming the policy debate award after him. (see new business)
 - The prego plan - Janet is due in December....congrats. Gail & Lynette will attempt to fill the gap. Janet will be out from December through March. No January meeting, so it shouldn't be too bad.
- **Vice President:** Tommie Lindsey/Gail Chastain - Tommie in Long Beach and Gail is at Asilomar. Tim gave an NFL report. Tommie's NFL motion passed. We need to get 1200 degrees by April 1st. If we do, only need 12 for events and 10 for debates!!! No need for fillers!!!! No need for massive amounts of judges!!! Let's do it!!! Keep current with NFL records. Tommie & Gail need to take the lead with the new schools.
- **Congress Director:** David Matley
 - Congress Area assigned! We need to come up with bills and resolutions for consideration
 - Topic areas - National Security - Lowell
Middle East, Africa, Asia - Logan2nd Congress Tournament - Dave will be in Lynbrook. He will prepare everything.
Need to take care of day of details.
- **Debate Director:** Lynette Williamson/Tim Campbell
 - **Parli topics** - Mail topics to Lynette. They will be drawn at random on the day of the tournament.
 - **Judging policy** - same as last year, trust the judges' integrity.
 - **Register for tournaments at joyoftournaments.com** by the Wednesday before the tournament. However, you can drop as late as Friday at 5:00 pm when the entry is frozen.
- **I.E. Director:** Lynette Williamson/Tim Campbell

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- Impromptu topics possibly written by one of Gail's former students.
- Don Heinsohn will be writing extemp topics.
- **Secretary** John Propster
 - Let John know of any changes to mailing list. Unfortunately, one passed around at the meeting was misplaced!
- **Treasurer:** Propster/Willford
 - Current balance - \$5200.00 in account
 - \$100 to GGSA (dues) invoice - Janet e-mailed to everyone. If you didn't get it, let Janet know.
 - Billing Reminders
 - Regular Fees:

○ IE/LD	\$10
○ Debate (team)	\$20
○ Congress	\$10
 - State Quals Fees:

○ IE/LD	\$15
○ Debate (team)	\$25
○ Congress	\$10

Billing for IE and Debate tournaments- at the end of the joy of tournament registration process you will have a bill.. THAT IS YOUR INVOICE. Please try to stay current or be ahead. Thanks for your diligence!

Reminder: Host schools now get paid \$8.00 a head for feeding adults at tournie.

- **Old Business:**
 - Review overall calendar and sites
 - Make sure you have the updated Calendar - Attached
 - 1/27 SAT/Congress 3 - Szt. Joseph's possibility
 - 3/17 State Debate/Congress Quals - Logan possibility
- **New Business**
 - State 2008 - Still looking for a site. Looking at SF State or UC Berkeley.
 - New coaches training at IE 1 - Check with Gail to see if she is willing to do it. Janet will e-mail confirmation.
 - Double the debate requirement at State Quals for LD, Parli, and Pofo
 - This way we can single flight Parli & Pofo, which take many rounds to whittle down to 4 teams in each event. If we increase, tournament will run faster. Campbell made motion: Parli, Pofo & LD for state quals 1 judge per body. Seconded. Motion passed unanimously on voice vote.
 - Concern that competitors are claiming that "road maps" are not part of their speaking time. Motion made by Heinsohn That time starts when speaker starts speaking for all debate.. Seconded. Discussed Motion passed on voice vote.
 - Reminders from CHSSA:
 - At our tournament, No coaching when Parli topic announced!
 - No prepared extemp speech materials in prep room

- ❑ Meeting adjourned at 10:38 for judges. Janet said we will "re-adjourn" in 15 minutes. I think she meant re-convene...she's pregnant, give her a break!
- ❑ Meeting re-convened by 11:05 am
- ❑ Update constitution:
 - Motion by Lynette to take codes off judges ballots. Seconded. Passed on voice vote.
 - Parli/Pofo use CHSSA rules - Tim & Lynette will update for May meeting
 - IE/Debate tab rules - Tim & Lynette will update for May meeting
- ❑ Motion made by Tim Campbell to Rename Team Debate Sweepstakes trophy the Sandy Berman Sweepstakes Award. Motion made, seconded passed on voice vote
- ❑ Motion by Tim to begin a new Sandy Berman perpetual award for Team debate seconded passed on voice vote.
- ❑ Chandler presentation about ESL classes. See attached letter.
- ❑ Pay CHSSA and GGSA dues
- ❑ Meeting adjourned at 11:26