



Greetings Earthlings,

Hutchinson Community College, in symbiosis with the University of Nebraska at Kearney, is excited to host the “Outer Limits Swing”, December 4th-6th in the twilight zone of Hutchinson, Kansas. This year we will be offering IE’s and IPDA debate tournaments.

On Friday the 4th , a 5/3 IPDA tournament will begin with outrounds concluding on Saturday the 5th as entries warrant. Additionally, 2/1 IE tournaments will take place on Saturday the 5th and Sunday the 6th. With an additional 4/3 IPDA tournament on Sunday the 6th. Students will not be able to cross-enter between IPDA and IE’s on Sunday, but can on Saturday.

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Let the invasion begin,

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FLIGHT PATTERNS:

Flight A: **Extemp, POI, Poetry, DI, CA, ADS**  
 Flight B: **Impromptu, Prose, INFO, DUO, PERS**

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

Friday		Saturday		Sunday			
Reg-PSU Blue Dragon	11:45	Reg-PSU Foyer	7:30	Reg-PSU Foyer		7:30	
IPDA 1	12:15	Ext Draw	8:45	Ext Draw	8:45	IPDA 1	9:00
IPDA 2	1:30	1A	9:00	1A	9:00	IPDA 2	10:15
IPDA 3	2:45	2B (IPDA FINAL)	10:15	2B	10:15	IPDA 3	11:45
IPDA 4	4:00	Lunch	11:30	Lunch	11:30	IPDA 4	1:00
Dinner-(Pizza Provided)	5-5:30	Draw	12:30	Draw	12:30	IPDA Q	2:30
IPDA 5	5:30	2A	12:45	2A	12:45	IPDA S	3:45
IPDA Q	7:00	2B	2:00	2B	2:00	IPDA F	5:00
IPDA S	8:15	Finas Draw	3:15	Finas Draw	3:15		
		Finals A (Semis)	3:30	Finals A (Semis)	3:30		
		Finals B	5:00	Finals B	5:00		
		Awards	ASAP	Awards	Asap		

<b>Tournament Notes</b>	
Entry Fees	IE: \$8 per slot \$12 per uncovered slot 1 Judge covers 6 total slots. IPDA: \$30 per covered entry (1 judge covers 2 entries) Judge Fee: \$60 per uncovered entry
Entries Due	5:00 P.M. CST Monday November 30th Please use speechwire.com to submit all entries Drops/Adds/Changes after Wednesday December 2nd at Noon will be charged a fee of \$10 per Drop/Add/Change
Meals	Meal Tickets for the HCC Cafeteria can be purchased in advance at a fee of \$5.50 per person/per meal. Teams are welcome to leave campus-lunch times have been adjusted from previous year's tournaments.
Awards	Awards will be given for Finalists and Semifinals in Speech Events. Awards will also be given for All debaters breaking to outrounds and 1st-5th Speaker. Team sweepstakes will be separate for each half and separate for speech and debate. At least the top 3 teams in each category will be awarded. 2-year college sweepstakes will be offered as entries warrant. Team sweeps ties will be broken on number of competitors in elimination rounds and then placings in elimination rounds. Additionally, the at least the top 3 competitors will be awarded each day in individual speech sweepstakes.
Sweepstakes	IPDA-Prelim Win/Bye 6 pts. Quarters-8/Semis 16/2nd-20/1st-24 IE Prelims 1st-3/2nd-2/3rd-1 IE Finals 1st-12/2nd-10/3rd-8/4th-6/5th-4/6th-2 (Non-Advancing Semis and other finalists-1)

<b>IE Notes</b>	
Rules	All rules for the 11 AFA events should follow the "AFA-NIET Description of Events" found at <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/afanietnew2/products-services/event-descriptions">https://sites.google.com/site/afanietnew2/products-services/event-descriptions</a>
Tie-Breaking	IE: Students will advance to elimination rounds based on low cumulative ranks, then inverse reciprocals, and then high cumulative speaker points. Ranks in Finals rounds will be determined based on majority of 1's, then low cumulative ranks, then Judges Preference, high cumulative speaker points, drop high points, drop low points.
Breaking	This tournament believes forensics is an educational activity and ballots provided are part of that education. Therefore when advancing competitors to finals we will err to the standard 6. If ties after cumulative rank, inverse reciprocals, and cumulative rate would result in 9 or more being eligible to advance ,adjustments may be made. Events with 8 or more entries will have preliminary and final rounds. Events with 7 or fewer entries may break straight to finals, but still receive 3 ballots.

Judging	All IE school judges are responsible for judging 1 round beyond elimination of competitors.
Even Sections	In prelims students will be ranked to 5. Ranks below 5 will be evened to 5.
Individual Sweeps	Individual sweepstakes will be awarded based on cumulative points accrued in prelims and finals in any events a competitor is entered in-ie no entry # requirements. Ties will be broken on # of events in finals/placings in finals/head-to-head finals.

<b>Debate Notes</b>	
IPDA Rules	IPDA rules outlined in the IPDA constitution will be followed can be accessed at: <a href="http://ipdadebate.info">ipdadebate.info</a> Times will follow the standard 5-2-6-2-3-5-3 format. No prep time during debate.
IPDA Divisions	Novice Division: Must not have competed in more than 10 tournaments in high school/college in any format of debate/must be currently enrolled students at the institution they are representing/must not have obtained a bachelor's degree. Varsity: Must be currently enrolled student at the institution they are representing/must not have obtained a bachelor's degree/must not have competed in collegiate tournaments during more than 10 semesters.
IPDA #'s	For IPDA to run we require that there be at least 10 entries from 5 schools. One school cannot make up more than 50% of the field. We reserve the right to request entry adjustments.
Tiebreakers	Elim Rounds: Wins/H-L adjusted speaker points/total speaker points/opp record Speaker: H/L adjusted points/total speaker points/W/L
ORAL CRITIQUES	We ask that <b>NO ORAL CRITIQUES be given until the ballot for the round has been turned in</b> to the ballot table. If the ballot for the round has not been submitted by the judge before the start time for the next round has started, the round may incur a double-loss. There is opportunity for critique in between rounds and throughout the competition day. Additionally, if competitors are not present for draw, topic announce, or round start time for reasons that are under their control, they may be given a loss for that round.
Judging	Judges are to be responsible and available for every preliminary round. Schools are responsible to judge 1 round beyond elimination of competitors.

<b>Coffee in Hutchinson</b>		
<b>Metropolitan Coffee</b> Open Sat & Sun 1329 E 17th (Kenny say go here)	<b>Brewed Awakening</b> -Open Sat 205 S Main (Kenny says go here too) <b>Starbucks</b> -Sat/Sun 1502 E 17th	<b>Scuttlebutts</b> -Open Sat 2609 N Main  *(may not actually hate Christmas)

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**Suggested Food & Hotels in Hutchinson KS**

**Tournament Hotel with room block under HCC  
Debate & Forensics**

**Atrium Inn (Formerly Ramada)**

1400 N Lorraine  
(620) 669-9311  
\$69 a night quad occupancy

**Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott**

1111 N Lorraine St  
(620) 259-8787  
\$99 a night quad occupancy

**Other options:**

**Hampton Inn**

1401 E 11<sup>th</sup> Ave  
(620) 665-9800

**Comfort Inn**

1601 Super Plaza  
(620) 663-7822

**Holiday Inn Express**

1601 Super Plaza  
(620) 669-5200

**Days Inn & Suites**

1420 N Lorraine St  
(620)-665-3700

Buffalo Wild Wings  
1710 N Waldron Street  
620-662-9022

Qdoba Mexican Grill  
1518 E 17th Avenue  
620-259-7132

Pizza Hut  
930 E 30th Avenue  
620-662-0571

McDonalds  
-Multiple locations around town

Sonic  
1600 E 30th Avenue

El Potrillo (Great local Mexican)  
2301 N Main Street  
620-664-9824

Pizza Ranch  
1805 E 17th Avenue  
620-662-2066

Olive Garden  
1700 E 17th Avenue  
620-728-0556

Burger King  
-Multiple locations around town

Subway  
-Multiple locations around town

Carriage Crossing (Best for dinner)  
Yoder, KS 67543  
620-465-3612

Jimmy Johns  
900 E 30th Avenue  
620-662-5500

Rib Crib  
1720 Waldron  
620-259-7880

Applebee's  
1609 E 17th Avenue  
620-665-5171

R-B Drive In (Lunch Only & Best for smaller  
groups)  
201 E Avenue A  
620-662-9713

Five Guys Burgers and Fries  
2223 N Lorraine St  
620-259-6332

620-664-9117	
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