

PJAS REGION IX STATE REGISTRATION

Note that we did not provide a packet of forms this year. All forms and information are available on the Region IX website: www.pjasix.org

Bonnie Nesbitt handles all of the registration for the state competition. Contact information:

School:	Home:
Marion Center Area HS	1149 Oak Street
Box 209	Indiana, PA 15701
Marion Center, PA 15759-0209	(724) 465-4350 (7:30 - 10:30 pm is best)
(724) 397-5551 ext. 113	
FAX (724) 397-9162	email bnesbitt@mcasd.net or bonnienesbitt@gmail.com

If you want to talk to me personally, feel free to call me at home. If you have questions, email me.

Student Registration All competitors who achieve a first place award will automatically be registered for all three days of the state meeting. Please notify me (no later than March 24) if you have a student who received a first place and is not going to states or if you have a student who will be attending for the day only. All necessary information will be taken from the regional registration form. Notify me of needed changes, such as listed in the wrong judging category or a project title change.

Adult Registration Every adult who will be attending the state competition must complete the on-line adult registration form. The link to this is found on the main page of the Region IX website www.pjasix.org. Adults who have not completed a form will not be registered. The registration form closes at midnight on March 24. **Your student registrations will not be submitted to the state committee if adult registration is not complete.** Please make sure that all your adults register on time. Last year late adult registrations were a major problem.

Technicians Each school may take one technician. A school does not have to take any technicians. See the Student Housing form on the on the Region IX website under STATE FORMS/STUDENT HOUSING. There is more information on the responsibilities of being a technician at the state meet on the Region IX website under STATE INFO.

Roommate Preference Each school should submit a student housing form. This is where roommate preferences are listed. There is a limit of two persons per room. This is an Excel spreadsheet. You should download this (on the Region IX website under STATE FORMS/STUDENT HOUSING), complete the information, and send it to me as an email attachment. Note the earlier deadline of March 10. Completing this form is very important as this is my double-check that I have not missed any of your students.

Money All state registration money must be mailed to the Region 9 treasurer, Donna Nunamaker, by May 1. Complete an invoice found on the website under STATE FORMS. Invoice and checks are to be submitted to Treasurer Donna Nunamaker, **not** to Bonnie Nesbitt.

- Health Forms** Three copies of the form are required for each student. Each copy of the form must have an original signature. Mail two copies to Leah Ann Williams, New Castle SHS, 300 East Lincoln Avenue, New Castle, PA 16101. Deadline for mailing copies is May 1. Bring one copy to the state meeting with you. There are 2 versions of the health form found on the website. The first is the standard form (STATE FORMS/MEDICAL) that is to be printed and filled out by hand. The other (STATE FORMS/MEDICAL - ONLINE) may be filled out on-line by the parent then printed for signatures.
- Deadline:**
- May 1**
- Perseverance Awards** Senior presenters who have qualified for the state meet three or more times are eligible a perseverance award. Complete the form (STATE FORMS/PERSEVERANCE) and follow the directions on the form.
- Regional Scores** Sponsors who would like to know the scores of their students from the regional competition should send me an email, asking for the scores. It is not necessary to list students or units. I usually do this in bunches, so it may take a week or more for me to reply.
- State Meet Information** Find complete information on the state meet on the website under STATE INFO. This information should be printed, copied, and distributed to all attending. Also on the Region IX website is a link to the PJAS State website. Menus, the schedule at PSU, parking information, campus maps, and information on interviews for trips and scholarships will be posted here in late April. As soon as it is available, unit listings for the state meet will be posted. To access the unit listings, you will need two passwords. These were on the handout. If you do not have the handout, email the regional directors.

IMPORTANT!!!!!!

Region 9 is the host region for the state meet this year. All sponsors who will be attending the state meet must complete the Hosting the State Meet Survey by 8:00 p.m. on March 29. The link to this survey can be found on the main page of the website.