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Important dates to remember (State Deadlines shown in **BOLD**):

- **April 19 5 p.m. – NLC Intent to Compete Form Deadline**
- April 25
 - BAA America Award Receipt Deadline
 - CSA Achievement Award Receipt Deadline
- **April 26 – NLC School Site Tests distributed to eligible competitors**
- **April 26 – NLC Competitors Published**
- **May 1 – NLC Registration Forms & Pre-submitted Competition Materials Deadline**

Greetings, Advisers!

A HUGE thank you to all of you who helped make SBLC 2019 a great success! Your contributions are so vital to the success of our programs, and we appreciate all of you! Hopefully you got some rest yesterday! ☺ A lot of NLC information is on its way to you as we continue to roll on!

SBLC 2019 Winners List

Congratulations to all of our winners! The winners list is attached.

Instructions to get Online Test Scores

Each adviser is invited to log into TFI (ESESS) to review their student's online test scores using the same login information. The attached instructions will help you retrieve this information. It is recommended that you run the Participant Information Report first and then run the Standards Performance Report.

Intent to Compete Reminder

Please be sure to submit your Intent to Compete forms by 5 p.m. this Friday, April 19, for all of your competitors whether they plan to attend or not. Mike sent out an email last evening with all of the details about the Intent to Compete form, so be sure to read that email, too!

Please download your chapter spreadsheet here:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/9y9n6dsdwynlod/AAyPg35vUBGe0XLd-JTpcC4a?dl=0>

It is URGENT that you return your intent to compete by Friday at 5 p.m. It should be uploaded online – here is the link:

<https://trileadership.wufoo.com/forms/zr2b9960fh0wqx/>

Here are the important things to know:

- We will bump all the way down to 10th place in every event as we determine who is going to NLC.
- Saying "yes" is not a financial commitment, or a promise that you would go. However, please take important note that this process only happens in one round. - so if you say yes, and then later change to no, you have taken an opportunity away from another student.
- On the form, there is a column for comments - this is where you should tell us that if a student gets bumped in another event, which one do they prefer? For NLC, students can compete in ONE and ONLY ONE event as an individual or team, and they can be part of ONE and ONLY ONE chapter project.
- Your winners earned a berth to national conference. As long as one member of a team wants to advance, you can say yes to the team - PLEASE change the names right on the spreadsheet if you are making changes.

If you have any questions, please reach directly to Mike!

Champ Camps

Champ Camps will give helpful tips and tricks on competing at the national level. They are valuable for everyone, but of substantial value for performance competitors. Last year we had slightly over 60 of our performance event competitors participate in a Champ Camp . . . all but 7 made it on stage at NLC!

You can register online at <https://trileadership.wufoo.com/forms/z1fdsp7v0rpri9g/> by Friday, May 3. We'll provide light snacks. Camps will run from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Advisers will receive clock hours!

Locations for our **May 7 Champ Camps!**

- Champ Camp #1 – ESD 101 (Spokane)
- Champ Camp #2 – Heritage High School
- Champ Camp #3 – West Central/Northwest Region

We look forward to seeing you at one of the Camps!

Alumni NLC Support Flyer

We are excited to offer a new program for NLC! We are inviting up to eight alumni who placed in the top 5 in a competitive event at an NLC during their FBLA career to attend NLC! The expectation for our alumni is to coach our competitors for their competitions. If you know any alumni who fit this criteria, please share the attached flyer with them. This is a great opportunity for our alumni to share their experiences and to give back to WA FBLA!