2019 JOB OLYMPICS INFORMATION

DATE: Thursday March 28, 2019

LOCATION: Johnson County Community College

Carlsen Center 12345 COLLEGE BLVD., OVERLAND PARK, KANSAS 66210 913-469-8500

WEBSITE: You should be able to find the answers to everything here. <u>www.ksjobolympics.com</u>

SCHEDULE:

8:30 to 11:00 Competition
11:00 to 11:45 Lunch (Bring your own lunch)
11:30 Mascot Presentation
11:45 to 1:30 Awards Assembly in Yardley Hall

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER: Any student in grades 9-12 or 18-21 yr. olds who are on an active IEP.

EVENTS: 4 Categories of Difficulty

Advance

Basic

Intensive (pre-basic)**

Switch (This will be their only event)

DIVISION: 4 Divisions – Based on # of contestants school

Division 1Division 2Division 318-21

VERY IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ BELOW AND FOLLOW

Not all competitors were placed correctly in events last year. Please be **mindful** in placing students. ****Intensive competitions are for students with <u>more significant needs</u>.** Please **do not** enroll students in these events who have the skills /ability to participate in more challenging competitions. It is important that students are given an opportunity to stretch their abilities/skill set and take "it" to another level.

Competitors can be entered into 4 events. If your student is enrolled in **intensive**, then **all** events should be **intensive**. Competitors can **only** be entered into **ONE** money event.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: Students must be **PREPARED** to participate in the contests in which they are registered. PLEASE READ THE RULES FOR EACH CONTEST VERY CLOSELY. STUDENTS **NEED TO PRACTICE** ACCORDING TO THESE GUIDELINES!!! Practice is very important. Some contests require students to bring special materials; if students do not bring the needed supplies, points will unfortunately be deducted.

ENROLLMENT: Due November 30, 2018

***Students will not be added after the November deadline ***

ENTRY FEE: \$5 per participant

Details on payment to follow. Checks & Credit Card options

PAYMENT IS DUE no later than January 31, 2019 - If we do not receive payment by this date - School will be removed from Job Olympics

STUDENT ASSISTANCE/SUPERVISION: Be sure to bring adequate numbers of adults to supervise your students. Students must be at the right place at the right time and different individuals in your group will be going several different directions at one time. There will also be free time between competitions, which will need supervision, as well as the unforeseen "emergencies" which always arise.

CLOTHING: Students are judged on grooming. They should dress appropriately for a job setting. Appearance is very important for the majority of the competitions.

NURSE: There will be **NO NURSE** available on this campus. Keep this in mind for students who need special accommodations for medical needs.

NAME TAGS: SCHOOLS are RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING THEIR STUDENTS' NAME TAGS. The **WHITE** tag needs to include the **student's name**, **grade**, **school name**, and **events** in which he or she is entered. If you have **not** receive photo releases for some of your students, then their name tag **MUST** be on a **RED** tag. We do not need this release, but a copy is provided on the web site.

<u>NEW IN 2019</u>: We are also **requiring** that there be one to five volunteers from each school. This does not include student volunteers. We need 10% volunteers per total participants. The volunteer **does not** have to be a teacher, it can be a parent or another willing person. We will have a separate sign up genius for those duties.

We will have limited seating in Yardley Hall, but will be able to have an overflow room for viewers to watch the awards. This would be for paras and family members. Please have proper adults in Yardley to supervise those participants.

AWARDS CEREMONY: Awards ceremony will be from 11:45 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Yardley Hall in the Carlsen Center at Johnson County Community College. Parents are invited to attend. Students/Teachers should listen carefully to announcements of contest winners for the first three places, and these winners should proceed quickly to the front of the theater for their medals. Medal winners will remain at the front until all medal winners (grades 9-12, 18-21) have been announced for the competition. In the event your group needs to leave Job Olympics prior to or during the Closing Ceremony, please notify a Job Olympics steering committee member. We will mail results, ribbons, and medals to you as soon as possible.

Hospitality:

There will be a hospitality areas for judges, sponsors, teachers, and paraprofessionals. This will be available AFTER the events are closed down. Room locations will be given to you at a later date.

NO SMOKING:

No Smoking is allowed. Students who are caught violating this rule will be eliminated from the competition. Home school rules apply on the JCCC campus.

ACCESSIBILITY: Johnson County Community College is a handicap accessible facility.

QUESTIONS: Questions can be e-mailed to <u>ksjobolympics@gmail.com</u>.

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HAVE FUN AND SEE YOU ALL ON March 28th, 2019.