

Appendix E: State Only Events

Local Chapter Exhibit

This event will highlight the local chapter and its activities during the current school year. The event will include an exhibit and a presentation.

ELIGIBILITY

Each chapter may enter one exhibit at the State Leadership Conference. This is a chapter event of one-three members.

PROCEDURE

The chapter exhibit may be a threefold exhibit, poster, or any other creative idea. The exhibit should be able to sit on a 6 foot narrow table. Each Exhibit should include examples of chapter activities and should show conferences, public relations, community service, fundraising, recruiting, and state sponsorship. Creativity is

encouraged through the design and use of meaningful pictures and graphics.

JUDGING

Exhibits must be set up by 9 a.m. Friday. Exhibits will be checked to determine whether chapters have complied with event eligibility and regulations. A 3-5-minute presentation will be given at the State Leadership Conference. Rank is determined by the total on each score sheet. Points given may range between zero and the maximum number indicated. All decisions of the judges are final.

Exhibit & Presentation Rating Sheet

Exhibit Evaluation	Not Demonstrated	Does Not Meet Expectations	Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations	Points Earned
Content & Design					
Community Service, Conferences, Fundraising, Public Relations, Recruiting, State Sponsorship	(5 per category max of 30)				
Clear and concise presentation with logical arrangements of information	1-5	6-9	10-14	15	
Correct grammar, punctuation, spelling, and acceptable business style	0-5	6-7	8-9	10	
Originality/creativity _____ 15 Aesthetics _____ 10 Effective use of design element Pictures show success of activity	0-5	6-9	10-15	16-20	
Total Exhibit Points					
Oral Presentation Evaluation					
Voice quality, diction, grammar	0	1-2	3-4	5	
Poise and professional appearance	0	1-2	3-4	5	
Explanation of the Project					
Description of project development and strategies used to implement project	0	1-2	3-4	5	
Team Presentation Participation	0	1-2	3-4	5	
Demonstration of ability to effectively answer questions	0	1-2	3-4	5	
Total Points					

Guidelines Penalty Deduct five (5) points when guidelines are not followed.

Total Points (Maximum of 100)

Entry:

Judge Signature:

Judge Comments:

NLC PIN DESIGN AND PROMOTION

An essential part of today's business world is design and promotion; therefore, the preparation of art is paramount to the production of quality copy used for promotion purposes. Please see the schedule in the conference program for location and time of event pickup and dropoff. This event is designed to measure the team's ability to develop the concept design for the Iowa FBLA pin for the National Leadership Conference. Students are to use the current year's theme found at <http://fbla.org/brand-center/>

ELIGIBILITY

Each local chapter may enter two participants who are members of the active local chapter and are on record of paying dues by March 1 of the current school year. Participants will work as a team on one sketch.

REGULATIONS

1. Participants must be selected in accordance with the regulations of the State Chapter.
2. Participants may not have placed first in this event at a previous State Leadership Conference.
3. A participant who fails to report on time for this event may be disqualified.
4. All layout design must be the work of the participants.
5. Design must be on the front and back of the T-Shirt poster board.
6. No reference material, visual aids or pre-drawn design may be brought or used during the event.

PROCEDURE

The following materials will be supplied two sheets each per contestant of 11" by 17" paper

Contestants will provide:

- a. Any type and quality of black ink/lead writing instruments and erasers for initial planning and final layout.
- b. Ruler/straight edge
- c. Stencil or chart pack
- d. Any color of markers

Participants should place emphasis on concept and design.

NLC T-SHIRT DESIGN AND PROMOTION

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ELIGIBILITY

Each local chapter may enter two participants who are members of the active local chapter and are on record of paying dues by March 1 of the current school year. Participants will work as a team on one sketch.

REGULATIONS

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4. All layout design must be the work of the participants.
5. Design must be on the front and back of the T-Shirt poster board.
6. No reference material, visual aids or pre-drawn design may be brought or used during the event.

PROCEDURE

The following materials will be supplied:

- a. two sheets each per contestant of 11" by 17" paper
- b. one poster board T-Shirt template
- c. tape
- d. scissors
- e. FBLA logos

Contestants will provide:

- a. Any type and quality of black ink/lead writing instruments and erasers for initial planning and final layout.
- b. Ruler/straight edge
- c. Stencil or chart pack
- d. Dictionary
- e. Up to 3 colors of markers (one may be black)

Participants should place emphasis on concept and design.

SPELLING RELAY

The spelling relay event is designed to create a challenge for FBLA members to work toward a better command of words and their proper usage. Participation in the spelling relay helps students:

- become aware of the need to develop an extensive business vocabulary
- develop a sincere desire to learn the correct spelling of frequently used words
- acquire a mastery of as many useful words as possible
- develop a technique for attaching new words
- use the dictionary to make those words part of correct business vocabulary

ELIGIBILITY

Each local chapter may enter one team composed of two or three members who are members of the active local chapter.

REGULATIONS

1. Participants may not have placed first in this event in a previous State Leadership Conference.
2. No more than one team member may have participated in this event at a previous State Leadership Conference.
3. A participant who fails to report on time for the event may be disqualified.

PROCEDURE

The teams are seated alphabetically by chapter from left to right. Participants from the same chapter are seated one behind the other. When the participant in the front chair fails to spell the word pronounced, he/she withdraws at the end of that round. A participant from a chapter will be required to spell the same number of words as all other chapters until elimination. When all persons from a chapter have failed to spell their words, that chapter is eliminated from the relay. The round in which the next to the last participant fails to spell his/her word correctly must be completed before the last remaining participant/s is/are declared the winner/s.

The following general rules govern the event:

- The word is pronounced twice by the pronouncer. When requested, the pronouncer will define the word, whether the word is singular or plural; a noun, verb, or adjective; and if it is the possessive form. Words selected for the relay are not necessarily those used frequently in business or office occupations.
- The participant pronounces the word after the pronouncer, spells it, and pronounces the word again upon completion of the spelling. The judges may disqualify any participant who does not begin spelling the word correctly within a 60-second period and complete the spelling in the same 60-second period.
- If a participant fails to spell a word correctly, the same word will not be given to the next person.

JUDGING

Judges will determine the accuracy and adequacy of the participants' spelling and will reference Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary, the official and final authority on spelling for the event. If a word is challenged by a participant to the pronouncer or one of the judges, the latter will consult the dictionary, deliberate, and then give the decision. The judges are in complete control of the relay, and the decision shall be final on every question.

VOCABULARY RELAY

The FBLA vocabulary relay is designed to create a challenge for FBLA members towards a better command of words and their usage. Participation in the vocabulary relay helps students:

- Become aware of the need to develop an extensive business vocabulary
- Develop a sincere desire to learn the definitions of frequently used words.
- Acquire a mastery of as many useful words as possible.
- Develop a technique for attacking new words.
- Using the dictionary to make those words part of an adequate vocabulary.

ELIGIBILITY

Each local chapter may enter one team composed of two or three members who are members of the active local chapter.

REGULATIONS

1. Participants may not have placed first in this event at a previous State Leadership Conference.
2. No more than one team member may have participated in this event at a previous State Leadership Conference.
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PROCEDURE

The teams are seated alphabetically by chapter from left to right. Participants from the same chapter are seated one behind the other. When the participant in the front chair fails to define accurately the word pronounced, he/she withdraws at the end of the round. A participant from a chapter will be required to define the same number of words as all other chapters until elimination. When all persons from a chapter have failed to define their words, that chapter is eliminated from the relay. The round in which the next to the last participant fails to define his/her word correctly must be completed before the

last remaining participant/s is/are declared the winner/s.

The following general rules govern the event:

- The word is pronounced, spelled, and pronounced again by the pronouncer. When necessary for clarity, the pronouncer will indicate whether the word is singular or plural; a noun, verb, or adjective; and if it is the possessive form. Participants have the privilege of raising their hands if they do not understand a word or need additional information. Words selected for the relay are not necessarily those used frequently in business or office occupations.
- The participant pronounces the word after the pronouncer and defines it. He/she may be required to use the word in a sentence. The judges may disqualify any participant who, in their opinion, does not begin defining the word correctly within a 60-second period and complete the definition in a reasonable time.
- If a participant fails to define a word correctly the same word will not be given to the next person. A few sample words are listed below.

abeyance	filibuster	malfeasance	refractory
accretion	grotesque	maritime	rescind
appellant	heterodyne	metatarsal	reticence
bicameral	hypothecate	munitia	sequel
capitulation	impartial	nonpareil	specious
churlish	inception	nullify	stratagem
codicil	inertia	olfactory	tachometer
complacent	integer	parody	tenacious
consignee	inveigh	pecuniary	tensile
cornice	lamine	perplexity	tract
depreciation	legation	placid	untenable
domicile	lien	plebiscite	velours
encumbrance	liquefy	probate	vicissitude
exonerate	litigant	quadrant	zealous
facetious	lucid		

JUDGING

Judges will determine the accuracy and adequacy of the participants' definitions and will have available for reference a copy of Webster's New Collegiate dictionary, the official and final authority on definitions for the event. If a word is challenged or a question raised by a participant to the pronouncer or one of the judges, the latter will consult the dictionary, deliberate, and then give the decision. The judges are in complete control of the relay, and the decision shall be final on every question.