

PROBLEM SOLVING  
THROUGH CREATIVITY

Magic Center Region  
Odyssey of the Mind  
HANDS-ON GLOBAL COMPETITION



## **Magic Center Regional Tournament**

Saturday, February 12, 2011  
Lake Highland Preparatory School  
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### What Should You Expect?

#### **I. Arrival:**

It is advisable to have the entire team arrive at the site at least 1 hour prior to their earliest scheduled performance time (Remember: Each team has TWO competition performance times, one for the Long Term Problem and one for the Spontaneous Problem).

The Coach must check the team in at the Registration Table. Take a few minutes to look over the materials provided in the package, locate your performance areas (Each team has TWO competition/performance locations, one for the Long Term Problem and one for the Spontaneous Problem)

Each Team's "Volunteer Worker" MUST check in at the designated area (Look for signs or ask at the Registration Table) at least 30 minutes PRIOR to their scheduled work shift. Teams will be penalized for "no-show" Workers and Judges (The Volunteer Judge for the team will be given instructions during the mandatory "Judges Training" session (to be held on January 30, 2010 from 9:00 – noon at LHPS) regarding check in time and locations).

## II. Long Term Problem:

Get your Team to the Staging Area at least 20 min before your scheduled competition time.

Any repairs or assembly to any backdrops, props, costumes, etc., must be completed BY THE TEAM MEMBERS and should be done prior to moving into the staging area, as space is typically limited in this area.

FORMS (Make sure you have copies of each of these forms):

- 6 copies of the Style form, 1 copy of the Outside Assistance form, and 1 copy of the Materials Value (Cost) form.. Each of these forms is available on-line through the Magic Center web site, as well as the State and the National OotM web sites.

- Some problems ask to provide a "List". The List is Problem Specific, check and re-check your problem to make sure you include any and all associated paperwork REQUIRED for the team's selected problem.

If you are a "structure" team, you will need to report to Weigh-in 1 hour prior to scheduled Long Term time.

If the team has any team specific "CLARIFICATIONS" provided to them through the national OotM web site, they MUST bring a copy of each of the clarifications provided to the team to the Staging Area Judge along with the forms noted above.

## III. Spontaneous:

Bring your team to the Spontaneous Holding Area about 20 min prior to their scheduled Spontaneous competition time. Parents and other supporters cannot accompany the team into the Spontaneous Problem Competition Areas, but they can wait outside of the designated area to cheer them on (coming and going).

## IV. Awards Ceremony and Teams Going to State Meeting:

LHPS Gymnasium: The entire team and parents are strongly encouraged to stay through the awards ceremony (if some need to leave, encourage them to “return” in time for the ceremony).

Teams moving onto the State Competition: At least one coach will need to attend a brief meeting following the Regional Competition regarding the State Tournament

**More details, such as the team’s schedule and site info, to follow in a couple of weeks.**

**Good Luck to the teams.**

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