

TO: Scholar Bowl Coach FROM: Daryl Bradley, MSHSAA

RE: Coaches Packet

Welcome to the MSHSAA Show-Me Scholar Bowl Challenge! Congratulations to you and your players for a successful season. We hope you enjoy the tournament, as well as your stay in Columbia. If you have any questions or if we can do anything to make your stay more pleasant, please let us know.

The information contained in <u>this packet</u>, along with the <u>Coaches Meeting</u> <u>Video</u> should prepare you for what to expect at State Scholar Bowl. After reviewing everything, please let us know if you have any questions.

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Questions/More Info: If you have questions after you review this packet and watch the Coaches Meeting video, please email me before 4pm on Wednesday, May 7. We will be packing, loading and setting up on Thursday and will be difficult to reach.

ONLINE COACHES MEETING

There will be no Coaches Meeting at the State Tournament. Please watch the Coaches Meeting video at your earliest convenience to prepare for the trip to Columbia.

The link to the Coaches Meeting is on the State Info Central page for State Scholar Bowl:



PARKING



DIRECTIONS, PARKING AND SITE INFORMATION

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI: MEMORIAL UNION

MAP OF UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI CAMPUS: The map of the campus is posted on the MSHSAA website (www.mshsaa.org) under the Scholar Bowl activity area. The Memorial Union is on Hitt Street in the heart of the MU campus, near downtown Columbia – and is the building visible from a distance – with the large castle-like spires. Maps of the building and SCB competition rooms are discussed in the online coaches meeting.

<u>DROP-OFF, PICK-UP AND BUS PARKING INSTRUCTIONS</u>: Busses will need to drop-off students outside of the restricted area by the Union, then park elsewhere. Due to the barriers, the best place to <u>drop-off and pick up</u> is at the SOUTHEAST corner of University Avenue and Hitt Street (this intersection is NORTH of the Union). Parking is discussed in the online coaches meeting.

<u>OTHER VEHICLE PARKING INSTRUCTIONS:</u> If your team is traveling in a personal car or a small van, you may utilize the parking garages near the Union (there will be a fee on Friday, but garages are free on Saturday). The procedures and instructions for arranging FRIDAY parking are discussed in the online coaches meeting.

MU Parking and Transportation Services Office in the Turner Avenue Garage, phone: 573/882-4568

<u>CHECK-IN & TEAM PACKETS</u>: You should come to Memorial Union North (North side of the Archway of the Union) to the middle Stotler Ballroom (2nd room on the left) to check-in and receive your team packet. The packet will provide you with further information concerning your schedule, the layout of the competition rooms and the tournament itself.

MASTER SCHEDULE

2025 MSHSAA STATE SCHOLAR BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SCHEDULE

Friday, May 9, 2025: Classes 1, 2 & 3 Saturday, May 10, 2025: Classes 4, 5 & 6 Memorial Union, University of Missouri, Columbia

Pre- Competition:

9:30 a.m: Moderator Check-In (North Stotler 2)

• Meet: 9:30 to 11:45 a.m.

Lunch @ 11am

10:30 a.m: Scorer/Timer Check-In (North Stotler 2)

• Meet: 10:30 to 11:00 a.m. (North Stotler 1)

Lunch @ 11am

11:00 a.m.: Coaches/Team/Spotter Check-In (North Stotler 2)

11:55 a.m.: All Teams and Officials Report to Assigned Game Rooms!

Pool Play Matches:

12:00 p.m.: First Round Games Begin

Rooms: Class 1 & 4: Stotler 1 and Stotler 3
Rooms: Class 2 & 5: North 201A and North 204
Rooms: Class 3 & 6: North 214A and North 214C

1:00 p.m.: Second Round Games Begin (same rooms) 2:00 p.m.: Third Round Games Begin (same rooms)

Intermission & Calculations:

3:00 p.m.: Moderators given Final Round Questions (North Stotler 2)

3:00 p.m.: Championship and Third Place Teams Announced (North Stotler 2)

3:10 p.m.: All Teams and Officials Report to Assigned Game Rooms!

Final Matches:

3:15 p.m.: All Third-Place Games Begin

Rooms: Class 1 & 4: Stotler 3
Rooms: Class 2 & 5: North 204
Rooms: Class 3 & 6: North 214C

All Championship Games Begin

Rooms: Class 1 & 4: Stotler 1
Rooms: Class 2 & 5: North 201A
Rooms: Class 3 & 6: North 214A

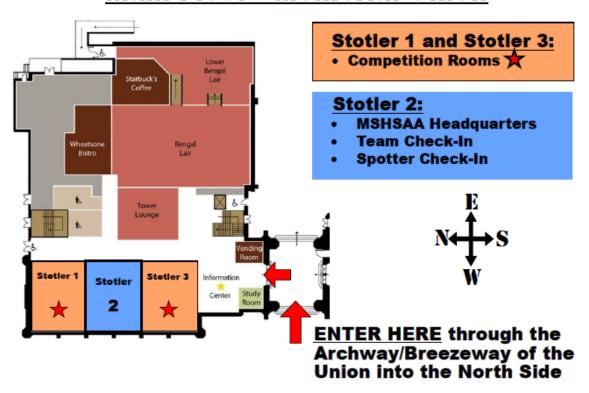
Directly Following: Award Ceremony and Team Photos – All Classes

Room: North 201 B/C

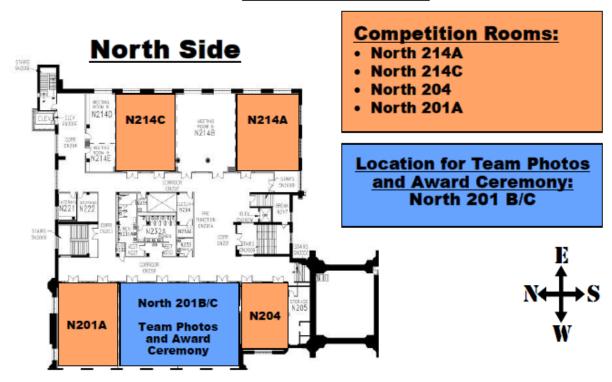
PLEASE NOTE: Each round of the tournament shall begin at the designated time. Teams not ready to compete at the designated time will forfeit. A forfeit will be determined by the judges in the room where the team arriving late is scheduled to compete. The only exception will be if the late arriving team's preceding game was an overtime game, to the extent that the team was unable to report to its next game. This should not occur because the time schedule of the tournament has been designed to allow for overtime games.

MAPS OF MEMORIAL UNION

Main Floor - Memorial Union



Second Floor



WHAT TO BRING WITH YOU

At least FOUR rostered players: You must have four team members available to start a game and to play at all times.

Proper Uniforms: Uniforms are not required, but you certainly look nice when team members are matching. Just make sure you abide by the specifications in the rules in regard to attire and prohibited attire (such as hats, etc.).

Writing Utensils: You must provide your own writing utensils.

Not needed:

Buzzer systems: MSHSAA will provide buzzer systems for the State Championships. If you would like to bring yours as a <u>back-up</u>, that would be fine but please remember to take it back home. Each year, a couple get left behind.

Nameplates: MSHSAA will provide nameplates for your team for the State Championships. The 10 names will come from your Quarterfinal Roster.

Scratch paper: Moderators will pass out paper prior to each game.

Put away or do not bring:

Cell phones and smart watches: Please store all electronic devices away from players and keep them silenced.

FOOD OPTIONS

Arrange Ahead and EAT BEFORE:

We would suggest you call ahead and make arrangements for food/meals in advance of arriving in Columbia. You will need to EAT BEFORE your team checks in at the Union. The schedule has changed and you need to have eaten lunch <u>before</u> your first game. Note: The MU Campus does not accept cash.

Food Options – Near Campus (Generally to the North of the Union)

MU Student Center	Wheatstone Bistro –	Starbucks
901 Rollins St,	(inside Student Union)	(inside Student Union)
Columbia, MO	518 Hitt Street	518 Hitt Street
5 restaurants & a market	Columbia, MO	Columbia, MO
Domino's Pizza	Noodles & Company	The Heidelberg
416 South 9th Street	406 South 9th Street	410 S 9th St,
Columbia, MO	Columbia, MO	Columbia, MO 65201
Shakespeare's Pizza	Chipotle Mexican Grill	Subway
225 South 9th Street,	306 South 9th Street	308 S 9th St Suite 115
Columbia, MO	Columbia, MO	Columbia, MO

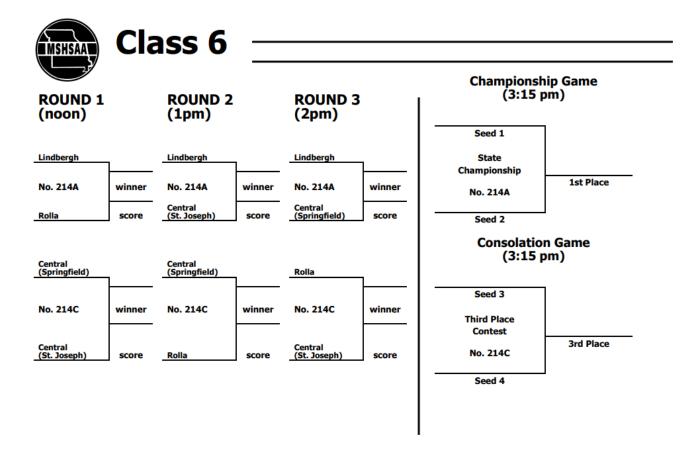
To see campus restaurants and their hours:

http://dining.missouri.edu/hours (no www)

Check Friday's date or Saturday's date - hours vary.

MATCH-UPS AND ROOM ASSIGNMENTS & DATA GRID

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Team	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Total	Record	Ave.	Finals Seed
LINDBERGH							
CENTRAL (SPRINGFIELD)							
ROLLA							
CENTRAL (ST. JOSEPH)							