

Section 18. All-State. The State Office and any appropriate All-State Committee will arrange the All-State Festival.

Section 19. No equipment other than what is specifically stated in the Constitution By-Laws will be provided by the host school.

Section 20. No photographic or video cameras or recording devices may be used by any member of the audience during a performance except by special permission from the State Office.

Section 21. The timing of Individual Events will begin with the start of the contestant's presentation.

Section 22. Contestants in individual events may not leave the performance room as part of their performance.

Section 23. General contest provisions for Policy Debate, Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Student Congress, and Public Forum are found respectively in Articles XXXV, XXXVI, XXXVII, XXXVIII.

Section 24. That all IHSSA constitutional changes be proposed every odd year.

ARTICLE VI

Contest Blanks - Speaking - Order

Section 1. Source and Preparation. In all contests the official ballot forms and the record sheets and all other documents will be furnished by the State Administrative Office to all Local Contest Managers at least two weeks prior to the contest. These forms will be properly filled in by the Local Managers before each contest and will be delivered to the individuals who are to use them.

Section 2. Comment Sheets. Each member school is responsible for filling out it's own contest comment sheet prior to the contest. The appropriate number of completed comment sheets will be hand carried into the contest center by the contestant(s) and delivered to the judge(s).

Section 3. Method for Determining the Order of Appearance of Speakers. In the District and the State Contests - except in debate - the Contest Manager, sometime prior to the contest, will determine the order of speaking appearances of all individual contestants in each division. The method used for debate is described in Article XXXV, By-Laws.

Section 4. Order of Names on Programs. If printed or copied programs are used, the names of the contestants and the order of plays will appear thereon, except in debate, in the order drawn by the Local Manager.

Section 5. Timer and His/Her Equipment. The Local Manager will designate an official timer for each contest center and provide him/her with a set of timing cards if these are called for in these By-Laws for that particular field of speech. The timer will be a person experienced in the proper use of a timing device. Any violation of timing limits must be reported immediately to the judge(s). **Judges may NOT ask for exact speaking times.**

ARTICLE VII

Rating System - Tabulation - Outstanding Performer

Section 1. Rating the Contestants. In all contests except debate, each of the judges will indicate on the official ballot a rating for each contestant. This will be his/her estimate of the quality of the performance against the amateur standard for the field being judged. The ratings available for use are as follows:

- Division IExcellent
- Division IIGood
- Division III.....Fair
- Division IV.....Disqualification because of a constitutional violation.
- COComments only, must have permission from the State Office.