



Awards Policies

Event Rules, Policies and Procedures for The 2008 Princeton Classic Updated: 4 December 2008

The 2008 Princeton Classic has prioritized providing high-quality awards for competitors, coaches, and teams. Though a tournament is much more than a trophy-hunt, providing a worthy goal at the end of a long tournament is an appropriate demonstration of the regard the tournament holds for its participants.

To that end, we have arranged for high-quality awards to be presented:

Medals: Students advancing to Double-Octos in Public Forum and Open Lincoln Douglas, Double-Octos and Octos in Novice Lincoln Douglas, DI Quarterfinals, Congress Finalists (places 13-20), and Novice LD Octofinalists.

4" x 6" Plaques: Students advancing to Octofinals in Public Forum and Open Lincoln Douglas, Quarterfinals in Novice Lincoln Douglas, and Congress Finalists (places 7-12).

5" x 7" Plaques: Students advancing to Quarterfinals in Public Forum and Open Lincoln Douglas, Semifinals in Novice Lincoln Douglas and Speech events.

13" Loving Cup: Students advancing to Semifinals in Public Forum and Open Lincoln Douglas, Finals in Novice Lincoln Douglas, Speech and Congress Finalists (places 4-6).

14" Loving Cup: Students advancing to Finals in Public Forum and Open Lincoln Douglas, Champion in Novice Lincoln Douglas, Speech and Congress Finalists (places 2-3).

15" Loving Cup: Champions in Public Forum, Open Lincoln Douglas, Speech, and Congress.

Additionally, the Individual Sweepstakes Championship, a Crystal Tiger, will be presented to the student with the highest ranking in Speech events. Cross-entry is encouraged.

We also are inaugurating this year Event Sweepstakes in Congress, Open LD, Speech, and Public Forum. We will award the top 3 schools in each event the 9" Princeton Pyramid of Power. Additionally, we will award the top three schools an overall Grand Sweepstakes Trophy.

Grand Sweepstakes will be based on the following formula of final, overall placements:

Speech Points:

1st: 6
2nd: 5
3rd: 4
Finals: 3
Semis: 2
Qtrs: 1

Debate Points:

1st: 6
2nd: 5
Semi: 4
Qtr: 3
Octo: 2
2Octo: 1

Congress

1st: 6
2nd: 5
3rd: 4
4th - 6th: 3
Supers: 2

Novice LD Debate will not be factored into computation of school sweepstakes.