**DeutschCon 2022 – Combination in-person and remote convention**

**March 26, 2022 – Bellevue West HS for** in-person convention

**Any school may submit entries for remote competition!**

**Registrations** (in-person and remote) **due by March 2.**

No fees for in-person or remote entries

Registration link, competition rules, teacher information page, cake recipes, Poetry Writing Statement of Authenticity, and a link for Knowledge Bowl practice questions are available at:

 <http://aatgnebraska.weebly.com/>

**Competitions – In-person convention**

Competition Levels Number of entries per school

Directed Dialogue Levels 1,2,3,4 4 individuals per level of study

Knowledge Bowl\* (see below) Levels 1,2,3,4 1 team (up to 4 individuals)

Spelling Beg (1,2), Adv (3+) 6 individuals per level (B,A)

Torte und Kuchen 4 different cakes per school

Banner 1 per school NEW in 2022

**Competitions – On-line submissions** -Submissions due March 17

CompetitionAbbreviationNumber of entries per school

Artwork AW 4 entries

Music - Instrumental IM 1 entry

Music – Vocal VM 1 entry

Music Video MV 2 entries

Poetry Video Interpretation PVIB, PVIA 3 individuals per level

 Beginning (1/2), Advanced 3+

Poetry Writing & Recitation – PWRB, PWRA 4 individuals per level

 Beginning (1/2), Advanced 3+

Poster Design PD 4 entries

Selfie Backdrop S 1 per school NEW in 2022

T-Shirt TS 1 entry

Video Skit 1st yr., 2nd yr., Adv (3/4) VS1, VS2, VSA 2 videos per level

Video Werbung VW 1 entry

**Fortgeschrittene\*\* may not participate in:**

Directed Dialogue Music Video Poster Video Skits

**The competitions in which Fortgeschrittene\*\* may participate include:**

Instrumental Music Vocal Music Poetry Video Interpretation

Fortgeschrittene\*\* are students who have had extended native contact (ex. lived in a German-speaking country for 6 months in 2 years, 1 year in 4 years, or someone who

speaks German at home with a native parent). Exchange students whose native language is a Germanic language or who comes from a German-speaking area are also included.

**German exchange students may not participate in any competitions.**

\***Knowledge Bowl** - Team members may only be on **one** of these teams.

 **All team members must be at the specified level or lower. (ex. German 1 student**

 **may be on a German 2 team, but a German 2 student may not be on a**

 **German 1 team.)**

General Rules for In-person Convention:

Each school must have **1 sponsor for each 15 students**. Sponsors will assist with judging and supervising as needed.

Schedule for day

General session for all students in auditorium to start the day

Snack break in middle of morning – free snack, competition cakes served, selfies with

backdrops from backdrop competition

Multiple session times – If students are not in a competition, they must be in an activity

 session.

 Students must be present at scheduled competition time. If double-scheduled,

school may substitute another student of appropriate level.

No observers in any competition rooms.

If possible, we would like to ask your school to organize and bring a supervisor for an activity room. Please indicate on registration if this is possible.

General rules for on-line submissions – submissions due March 17

**Only teachers may submit entries.**

The link to submit entries will be sent to schools that register their entries by March 2.

**Teachers will submit** entries as video or picture to a Google Classroom. Music Video, Poetry Video Interpretation, Poetry Writing & Recitation, and Vocal Music require an additional document submission.

Please submit the video/picture/document file labeled as follows:

-Individual competitions: competition abbreviation, school initials, student last name, level of

 study Ex. PWRB LHS Schmitt2 [for Poetry Writing & Recitation, Lincoln HS,

 student name Schmitt, 2nd year German]

-Group/individual competitions: competition abbreviation, school initials, 2022

 Ex. VS1 WHS2022

 -In competitions with more than 1 entry, add a 1 or 2 after the abbreviation.

 Ex. PD1 MNHS2022 and PD2 MNHS2022 [Poster design, 1st entry, Millard North HS, 2022]

To help judges consider each entry equally, please submit pictures with as much detail as possible and videos with strong audio quality.

AWARDS for both In-person and Remote entries

First place in team events = certificates and ribbons

First place in individual events = medallions.

Second and third place = ribbons.

Judges will not give awards to more than 50% of the entries, unless there are exceptional reasons. Judges may choose to give no awards if a minimum standard is not met.

***If any competition does not have 3 entries preregistered, that competition may be cancelled and no awards will be ordered.***

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