BATTLE OF THE BOOKS 2020

Best of Luck to All 2020 Competitors!

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Registration Form

Registration closes on January 11th at 5pm

Each member of your team must complete a separate form. Please fill out both sides, tear off this form, and return it to the library.

Name: _____________________________

Team Name (If known):
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Grade: ____  Teacher: _______________

Phone #: ___________________________

Optional:
Please list the names of any friends (up to 4) or a coach who you’d like to be teamed up with. Remind your friends to turn in their registration forms too!

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Coach (if known):

All activities and materials are free to participants.
Schedule for Otsego

Kick Off
January 11th at 10am
Students and coaches meet at the Otsego County Library, receive books and design team t-shirts.

Author Visit
February 5th at 8:45am
Meet the author of one of our BOB Books in a special presentation at Gaylord Intermediate School. We’ll reveal the identity of this top secret visitor at the kickoff meeting!

Mock Battle
February 22nd at 10am
Otsego teams meet for a practice battle at the Otsego County Library. Be ready to compete with all 10 books!

Local Elimination Battle
March 7th at 10am
Otsego teams meet at the Otsego County Library to battle for the chance to compete in the finals! The top three teams will advance to the finals against the other libraries’ teams.

Grand Championship Battle
March 14th at 1pm
The top three teams from each library meet at Houghton Lake High School Auditorium for the 2020 Championship! All participants, their families, friends, and the general public are welcome! Participants must arrive by 12:30 pm

How Battle of the Books Works
Students compete in teams of three to five lead by an adult coach. They read a variety of books chosen by librarians, and then answer questions about the books in a competition against other local teams. The top three teams from each library go on to compete against the teams from their “rival” libraries. The team with the most correct answers becomes the 2020 Battle of the Books Champion! Complete rules are available at your library.

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Please review the attached schedule and sign below

My Child _________________________________ has my permission to participate in the 2020 Battle of the Books.

I understand that photographs, video, or audio recordings taken in connection with Battle of the Books may be used to publicize the program and/or the Library’s public service. Without reservation, I irrevocably authorize the Library to copy, exhibit, publish or distribute any and all such images and audio of my child for such purposes. In addition, I waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product wherein my child’s voice and likeness appears, or any written copy that may accompany it, in whatever format used.

Signed: ___________________________
Printed: ___________________________