



FBLA Competitive Events

2026-27 Updates and Modifications

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Retired

• None

Name Change

- None



Sales Presentation

- Musical Instruments are Prohibited for this event

Computer Applications

- Same procedure at RLC as in the past
 - Production test only given at school prior to conference
 - Tiebreak is start at top of rating sheet and greater points per row is ranked higher
- State Level Production test will be administered on site in Hershey on Sunday evening – No other options will be available for testing this event.
- National competition will be administered on site

Guideline Protocols

- Last section on all rating sheets, judges are allowed to select 0 to 10 points, instead of all or none situation



Repeating in an Event

- If a student has placed in the top ten in the event at an NLC they can not repeat the event.

RLC Requirements

- Must use Blue Panda for all rating sheets
- Performance events must be live (recordings are not acceptable)
- Must have an RLC

RLC Judging

- Push your judges to provide quality comments
- Encourage to not give high scores



State Only Events/Chapter Events NEW

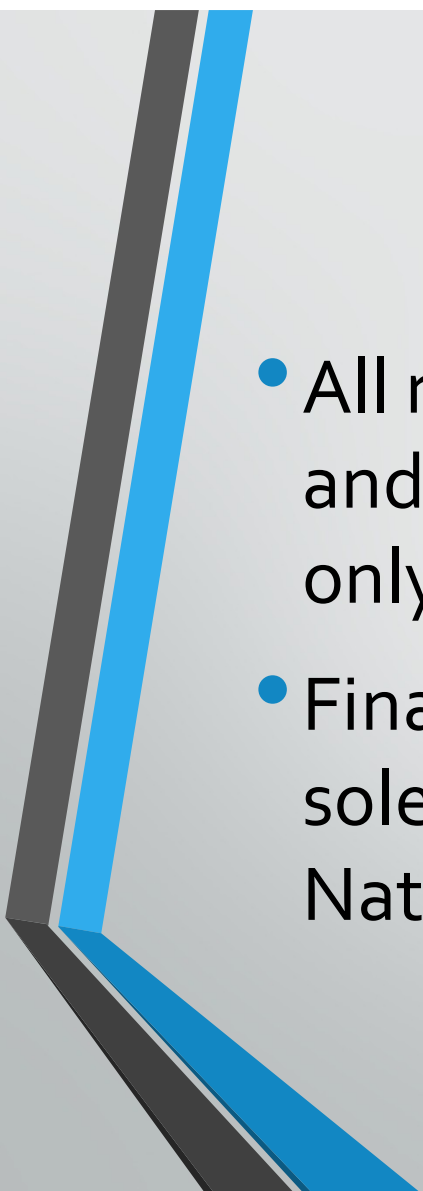
- American Enterprise Project and Partnership with Business Project return as State Events
- Guidelines are posted
- These events are PA only and cannot advance to the National Conference

State Only Events/Chapter Events

- Registration deadlines posted
- Submit Business Plan, Community Service Report, Local Chapter Annual Business Report, American Enterprise Report, Partnership with Business Report, 2-minute Digital Animation, and 2-minute Digital Video Production by deadline
- Presentations via Zoom – dates posted

State Events with Submissions

- Deadlines are now 5:00PM EST
- Miss the deadline to submit
 - \$50.00 change fee for competitive events
 - Entry automatically gets a zero for guideline protocols



State Events with Submitted Items

- All reports, plans, videos, animations, resumes, and cover letters submitted for prejudging will only be used in the preliminary round.
- Final Performance Round Rankings are all based solely on the Final Performance (same as Nationals)

SLC

- All objective tests will be administered in Hershey starting on Sunday at 2:30pm
- Events Tested on Sunday Only

Banking and Financial Systems

Computer Applications

Sports and Entertainment Management

Entrepreneurship

Management Information Systems

Network Design

Hospitality and Event Management

Parliamentary Procedure

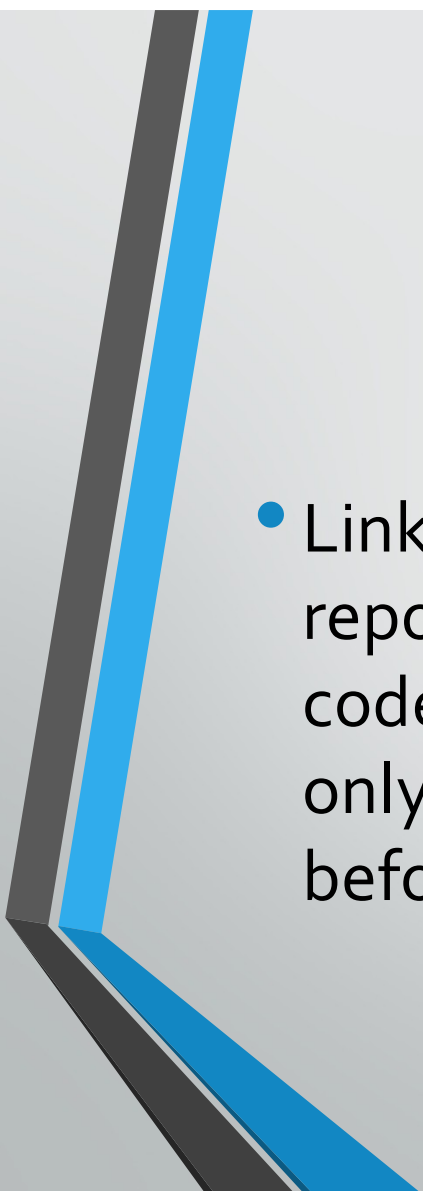
Business Management

Customer Service

Technology Support and Services

SLC

- All objective tests not listed on previous slide will be Monday unless students register for optional Sunday testing at 5:30PM
- Monday Objective Testing will have events scheduled later than last year

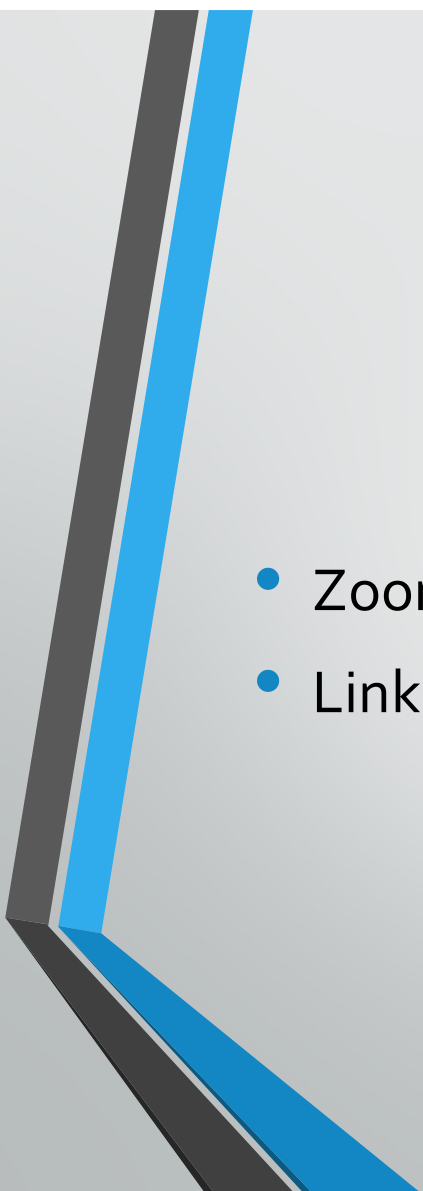


Links/QR Codes

- Links and QR codes are restricted items in pre-judge reports, resumes, plans, cover letters; links and QR codes during presentations are for display purposes only. Judges will not be allowed to scan or click on links before, during, or after a presentation.

AI

- Guidelines state – “Members must prepare reports. Reports must be original, current, and not submitted for a previous NLC.”
- Similar wording for all events
- If using AI, must list as part of copyright section of presentation



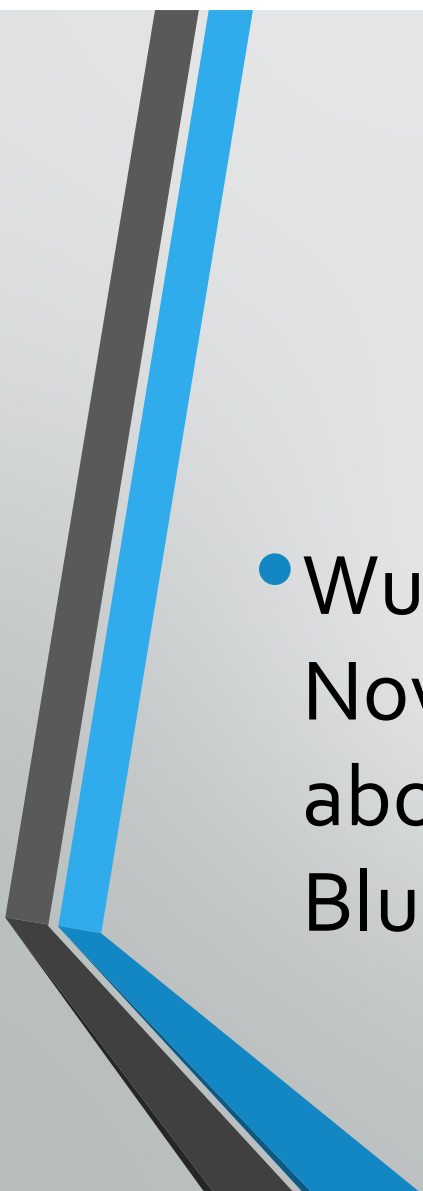
Trainings

- Zoom meetings for competitive events in the evenings
- Links to the recordings will be posted



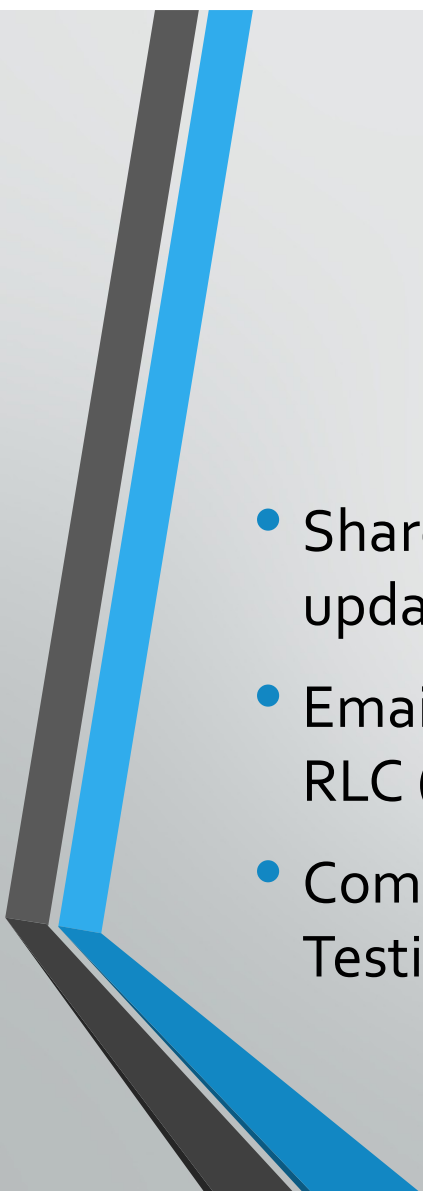
Upcoming

- AP Business with Personal Finance



Region Advisers

- Wufoo form will be emailed at beginning of November to you requesting information about your RLC and details about setting up Blue Panda. Please complete.



Resources for RLC

- Shared Dropbox with all region advisers – Materials will be updated by the middle of November
- Email sent with Impromptu Speaking about a week prior to your RLC (only sent if you have registered competitors)
- Computer Applications Answer Key – Emailed at conclusion of Testing Window if you have registered competitors



RLCs Derek is Scheduled to Attend

- 12/7 – Region 9 RLC
- 12/15 – Region 27 RLC
- 1/6 – Region 19 RLC

Questions?

- Please contact me if you have questions regarding competitive events
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