



## 2025-2026 Schedule

October 11: Local Quiz #1  
Faith Church, Rochester Hills  
1 Corinthians 1 - 4 (91v)  
LL: 1 Corinthians 1 - 2:5 (36v)

November 8: Local Quiz #2  
Stony Creek Church, Utica  
1 Corinthians 5 - 8 (86v)  
LL: 1 Corinthians 2:6 - 3:23 (34v)

November 22: Great Lakes Regional  
CrossPointe Community Church, Wayne  
1 Corinthians 1 - 9 (204v)  
LL: 1 Corinthians 1 - 3, 10 (103v)

December 13: Local Quiz #3  
St. Paul Lutheran, Northville  
1 Corinthians 9 - 12:11 (105v)  
LL: 1 Corinthians 10, 12:1-11 (44v)

January 10: Local Quiz #4  
Romeo United Methodist Church  
1 Corinthians 12:12 - 15:11 (84v)  
LL: 1 Corinthians 12:12 - 13:13 (33v)

January 17: All Timers  
Lake Pointe Bible Church, Plymouth  
1 Corinthians 8 - 15:34 (225v)

February 14: Local Quiz #5  
Christ Our Savior Lutheran, Livonia  
1 Corinthians 15:12 - 2 Cor. 2 (112v)  
LL: 1 Corinthians 15:1-49 (49v)

**March 14: Day of Champions**  
Marimont Community Church, Pontiac  
full review (478v)  
LL: 1 Cor. 1-3, 10, 12-13, 15 (205v, 9 new)

**March 21**  
WBQA Chicago Tournament  
full review (478v)  
LL: full review (205v)

## Highlights

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**March 14 Quiz Reminders.** The venue is **Marimont Community Church**, 424 W Walton Blvd, Pontiac MI 48340. Almost everything is different from prior quiz days, so please review the following.

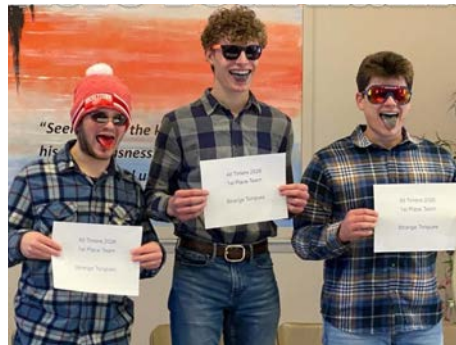
There will be more rooms in use than normal, so bringing your quiz boxes is that much more important. Quizmasters, please arrive by 7:45 a.m.

The opening meeting will begin at 8:00 a.m. and quizzing at 8:30 a.m. During the morning session, to complete the regular season, Varsity teams will each compete six times and Little League teams will each compete three times.

Plan on staying all day. Lunch (pizza and salad) will be provided along with a slideshow and a speaker or two to **celebrate 50 years** of ministry for Detroit Bible Quizzing.

After lunch, playoff brackets will be announced and several rounds of quizzing will culminate in the Little League and Varsity Finals.

Capping the day will be an Awards Ceremony. For each division, awards will include Tournament Champion and two finalists, individual All Stars, Rookie of the Year and Most Improved Quizzier.



**All Timers Tournament Recap.** Nine teams from southeast Michigan convened at Lake Pointe Bible Church for the 18th annual All Timers Tournament. The top three teams from the morning quizzed in order into the Finals, won by the trio of **Curtis Parker, Samuel Kochensparger** and **Owen Parker**.

**Strange Tongues 70**  
**God Is Our Avenger 20**  
**Our Forefathers 30** ★

### Varsity Quizzier of the Month



**Vera Hile**  
*Epic Knows Nothing*

### Little League Quizzier of the Month



**Ariya Hafner**  
*SCC Love Never Fails*

# Tidbits

**Honorable Mention.** Once frozen, there is no guarantee that a quizzer will have an opportunity to jump and score again. Three frozen chairs without error in a day of quizzing equals 210 points. When quizzers get that many points or more and yet don't make Quizzer of the Month, they deserve some recognition. In February, four Little League and two Varsity quizzers attained this distinction:

<b>Henry Dixon</b>	310
<b>Veda Smith</b>	310
<b>Sam Kochensparger</b>	240
<b>Levi Peterson</b>	230
<b>Jonah Kittleman</b>	230
<b>James Dixon</b>	210

**Rookie Watch.** A great part of quizzing is to see which rookies start off strong and which are able to catch on later and make a run for the top spot. This season there are lots of rookies to watch.

In Varsity, **Caleb Mills** continued to score in triple digits. **Justice Kooistra** got multiple scores.

In Little League, **Henry Dixon** (170), **Mia Herrera** (110), **Judah Ron** (100) and **Rosalie Montgomery** (100) scored in triple digits. Two more got multiple scores: **Abi Nkata** (90) and **Allegra Galindo** (80). **Lucas Draper** and **Caleb Catanas** got their very first scores.

Make a point to encourage the rookies.

## Haiku of the Month

Christ was indeed raised,  
the firstfruits of all with faith—  
then us when He comes.

*inspired by 1 Corinthians 15:20-23*

## STEERING COMMITTEE

The DBQ Steering Committee will be meeting at 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 15, 2026 via Google Meet. Participating churches and organizations are welcome to have a representative join in.

## CONTRIBUTIONS

If you have news to share about a quizzer or quiz-related subject, please e-mail the editor at [pdpaternoster@sbcglobal.net](mailto:pdpaternoster@sbcglobal.net)

## Varsity Quiz Highlights

**Epic God the Builder—0, Epic Sauce the Knees—80, NR Fellowship of the Ring—70**



*Epic Sauce the Knees*

Both Epic Builder and Northridge were without their top quizzer. Epic Knees' **Jace Whiteaker** scored on question 1. **Isaac Julien** pulled Northridge into a tie on 6. Then **Leo Hile** went to work with three scores to freeze without error on 13A, and the Knees had an insurmountable 70-point lead. Isaac got his second score on 14. With the win locked up, the Knees could afford to have their rookie try on 15 for a team bonus. When that failed, Isaac got his third score to end the quiz frozen without error.

**SCC Ready for Solid Food—10, SCC Whole Batch of Dough—30, SPN Fishers of Pokémen—40**

Stony Creek Dough was first on the board with **Everett Smith's** score on question 2. SCC Food's **Bella Spencer** scored on 3 and St. Paul Northville's **Silas Pennington** scored on 7. When SPN's **Cady Phou** broke the tie on 12, SCC had no answer. Silas got his second score on 14 to take SPN into the last question was a 30-point lead, and SCC had no bonus available to tie. Nevertheless, SPN tried to add to its lead and the error cost it 10 points. Following a Food error on the toss-up, Dough could have let the freebie go and tried to tie for first on the next question, but Everett took the safe route and answered the freebie to clinch second place.

**Epic Knows Nothing—110, LP Brothers in Christ—70, Epic Sauce the Knees—90**

After question 5, the score was 40–0–40 as Epic Nothing's **Vera Hile** scored twice and Epic Knees' **Leo Hile** and **Jace Whiteaker** both scored. After 11, the score was 40–40–90 as Leo scored twice to freeze without error and Lake Pointe's **James Dixon** scored twice. On 12, Vera completed her frozen chair without error, on 13A she won a toss-up to pull into a tie, and on 14A she won a toss-up to take the lead. The Knees needed the jump on 15 to tie or win, but James got it to freeze without error.



*Epic Knows Nothing*

**Epic Sauce the Knees—40, NR I Am Your Father—60, SCC Whole Batch of Dough—30**

Starting question 13, the score was tied at 40—SCC's **Everett Smith** scored on 1 and 2, Epic's **Leo Hile** and **Jace Whiteaker** combined on 3 and 8, and NR rookie **Caleb Mills** score on 7 and 9. NR took the lead as **Fallyn Sollosi** scored on 13, but Jace tied it on 14. Epic and NR erred on 15 and 15A, but SCC was unable to capitalize. Epic and SCC erred on 16 and 16A, and NR rookie **Justice Kooistra** took the freebie for the win. 🌟

## Varsity February 2026 Quiz Scores

NR I Am Your Father	140	LP Brothers in Christ	80	MCC Raised in Glory	200
Epic Knows Nothing	110	NR Love Has No Fear	10	SCC Sacrifice	20
SCC Ready For Solid Food	20	MCC Raised in Glory	140	Epic God the Builder	0
SPN Fishers of Pokémen	80	SCC Sacrifice	80	NR Fellowship of the Ring	20
Absolute Faith	120	NR Fellowship of the Ring	60	SPN Fishers of Pokémen	60
SCC Sacrifice	60	NR Love Has No Fear	140	LP Brothers in Christ	150
SCC Whole Batch of Dough	30	Epic Knows Nothing	110	LP Ferocious Ferraris	90
Epic God the Builder	0	LP Brothers in Christ	70	MCC Raised in Glory	110
LP Ferocious Ferraris	120	Epic Sauce the Knees	90	Epic Knows Nothing	70
Epic God the Builder	0	Absolute Faith	60	NR Love Has No Fear	110
Epic Sauce the Knees	80	LP Ferocious Ferraris	20	SCC Ready For Solid Food	40
NR Fellowship of the Ring	70	NR I Am Your Father	150	Absolute Faith	140
SCC Ready For Solid Food	10	Epic Sauce the Knees	40		
SCC Whole Batch of Dough	30	NR I Am Your Father	60		
SPN Fishers of Pokémen	40	SCC Whole Batch of Dough	30		

## Little League Quiz Highlights

**Faith Moves Mountains–130, GLD Love Like Jesus–0, MCC Grace and Peace–190**  
Faith and Marimont took turns scoring in spurts. MCC took the first 90 points, **Levi Peterson** freezing without error on question 3 and **Nadya Peterson** getting her first jump. Faith scored the next 60 between rookies **Mia Herrera** and **Allegra Galindo**. MCC responded with 100 points to lock up the win, rookie **Judah Ron** scoring twice for a third-person bonus and Nadya twice for a frozen chair without error bonus. Faith closed out the quiz with Mia freezing without error on 13 and scoring a toss-up on 14A and Allegra getting her second score on 15.

**CP Kitties–40, SCC Love Never Fails–80, LP 3 Veggie Straws–170**



CP Kitties

Stony Creek's **Ariya Hafner** was first on the board. Lake Pointe tied with a score by top rookie **Henry Dixon**. Ariya responded with two to freeze without error. LP took the lead on the next three, one by **Eden Ringbloom** and two by Henry to freeze without error. A toss-up to Ariya tied it up again, but again LP took the lead with two scores by Eden to freeze and a toss-up to Henry. With three questions to go, CrossPoint rookie **Rosalie Montgomery** scored twice and LP's **Ada Pyle** put the icing on the cake of the win with a score for a third-person bonus.

**COS Fools for Christ–130, Epic Levites–40, Faith Moves Mountains–20**

With the home-field advantage, Christ Our Savior scored the first 110 points to lock up the win on question 11—**Jonah Kittleman** freezing without error and adding a toss-up and **Edwyn Troike** scoring once. Epic made a bid for second as **Levi Whiteaker** scored on 12 and 13. Rookie **Mia Herrera** came through to get Faith on the board on 15.

**GLD Love Like Jesus–20, RUMC Faith–270, Epic Levites–0**

Behind the scenes, this was a momentous quiz for the top quizzers spot. **Henry Dixon** had completed his day with 310 points, putting him in the virtual lead. **Ariya Hafner** had 240 points and was in the next room over about to score 100 more. But when the dust settled, **Veda Smith** still had her 60-point lead from last month as she rose to the occasion to score 170 points—a frozen chair without error and 5 toss-ups. **Margaret Smith** also froze without error and **Eliza Smith** scored for a team bonus, and Romeo United Methodist closed out regulation as the only team to have scored. The tie breaker for second was taken by Guardian Lutheran rookie **Ben Brady**. ✪



GLD Love Like Jesus

## Little League February 2026 Quiz Scores

SCC Saucy Thins	0	CP Kitties	40	GLD Love Builds Up	100
LP 3 Veggie Straws	150	SCC Love Never Fails	80	Faith Moves Mountains	40
COS Fools for Christ	50	LP 3 Veggie Straws	170	CP Kitties	20
Epic Secrets	30	SCC Love Never Fails	130	GLD Love Like Jesus	20
CP Kitties	40	COS Fools for Christ	90	RUMC Faith	270
LP FruFru Fish	70	GLD Love Like Jesus	0	Epic Levites	0
Epic Levites	40	MCC Grace and Peace	140	LP FruFru Fish	80
MCC Grace and Peace	210	LP FruFru Fish	20	SCC Saucy Thins	20
GLD Love Builds Up	30	RUMC Faith	120	SCC Love Never Fails	100
RUMC Faith	80	LP 3 Veggie Straws	190		
Epic Secrets	10	GLD Love Builds Up	0		
SCC Saucy Thins	20	Epic Secrets	40		
Faith Moves Mountains	130	COS Fools for Christ	130		
GLD Love Like Jesus	0	Epic Levites	40		
MCC Grace and Peace	190	Faith Moves Mountains	20		

## Tidbits 2.0

### More All Timers



The Tournament All Stars had only one current quizzers break into the line of adults—coming in at #7 is **James Dixon**.

“So how did Strange Tongues win the Championship this year and not have any members among the All Stars?” you ask. They were so evenly balanced, they just missed in 8th, 9th and 10th places!

At the other end of the line, the Tournament Top Quizzers is **Leah Roldan**. As a Little League rookie in the 2003-2004 DBQ season, she was **Leah Jarvie** of CEPC Living Hope (second from left):



And as a senior in the 2010-2011 DBQ season, Leah helped her team, CP Zealous, go from 5th place at the end of the season to third place in the Finals:



And the first All Timers on Corinthians was won by Fought Wild Beasts:



# Varsity Individual - Feb. 2026

Rnk	First Name	Last Name	Team Name	Pts	Avg.	Err
1	Vera	Hile	Epic Knows Nothing	1,310	87.33	2
2	Samuel	Kochensparger	MCC Raised in Glory	1,190	79.33	6
3	Toby	Peterson	MCC Raised in Glory	1,080	72.00	11
4	Curtis	Parker	Absolute Faith	1,030	68.67	7
5	James	Dixon	LP Brothers in Christ	970	64.67	11
6	Rhema	Sollosi*	NR Fellowship of the Ring	900	75.00	13
7	Fallyn	Sollosi	NR I Am Your Father	850	56.67	6
8	Leo	Hile	Epic Sauce the Knees	790	65.83	7
9	Caleb	Mills*	NR I Am Your Father	760	50.67	6
10	Kylie	Phillips	SCC Sacrifice	680	45.33	16
11	Ella	Darichuk	NR Love Has No Fear	590	39.33	14
12	James	Fales	LP Brothers in Christ	550	45.83	8
13	Josh	Fales	LP Ferocious Ferraris	500	41.67	10
14	Cady	Phou	SPN Fishers of Pokémen	500	33.33	11
15	Isabella	Spencer	SCC Ready For Solid Food	490	32.67	13
16	Landon	Komer	Epic God The Builder	490	40.83	20
17	Silas	Pennington	SPN Fishers of Pokémen	490	32.67	23
18	Toby	Pyke	Absolute Faith	390	32.50	9
19	Timmy	Graff	LP Ferocious Ferraris	380	25.33	14
20	Journey	Clark	CP Fulfilled Among Us Pt. 2	370	30.83	9
21	Olivia	Thompson	NR Love Has No Fear	340	22.67	2
22	Everett	Smith	SCC Whole Batch of Dough	310	20.67	23
23	Jace	Whiteaker	Epic Sauce the Knees	270	22.50	13
24	Justice	Kooistra*	NR I Am Your Father	240	16.00	11
25	Jadon	Russell	SCC Sacrifice	220	14.67	5
26	KaraLynn	Russell	SCC Whole Batch of Dough	210	17.50	3
27	Clifton	Leslie	SCC Sacrifice	210	14.00	6
28	Isaac	Julien	NR Fellowship of the Ring	180	15.00	3
29	Sam	Hatfield	NR Fellowship of the Ring	120	10.00	10
30	Asher	Kittleman	MCC Raised in Glory	100	8.33	0
31	Clara	Graff	LP Ferocious Ferraris	60	5.00	1
32	Angela	Pillivant	CP Fulfilled Among Us Pt. 2	60	10.00	2
33	Arabella	Baird	SPN Fishers of Pokémen	60	20.00	3
34	Liam	Nelson	SCC Whole Batch of Dough	60	5.00	6
35	Ryder	Perry	MCC Raised in Glory	50	3.33	2
36	Micah	Nelson	Epic God The Builder	50	5.56	3
37	Lainey	Sollosi	NR Love Has No Fear	50	3.33	6
38	Kenadee	Koch	NR Love Has No Fear	40	3.64	0
39	Dante	Hile	Epic God The Builder	30	5.00	0
40	Vera	Nelson	SCC Ready For Solid Food	20	1.67	1
41	Danny	Daniot*	SCC Ready For Solid Food	20	1.33	4
41	Kaleb	Nunez	Absolute Faith	20	1.67	4
43	Clara	Nelson	Epic Knows Nothing	10	0.67	1
44	Connor	Dever*	Epic Sauce the Knees	0	0.00	5
45	Elliot	Pennington	SPN Fishers of Pokémen	0	0.00	2
46	Lincoln	Webb*	Absolute Faith	0	0.00	1
47	Brooke	Uren*	CP Fulfilled Among Us Pt. 2	0	0.00	0

\* = rookie quizzer

Ptc	Team Name	Pts	Record
1	MCC Grace and Peace	155	12-3-0
2	RUMC Faith	152	13-2-0
3	LP 3 Veggie Straws	143	12-2-1
4	COS Fools for Christ	99	5-8-2
5	LP FruFru Fish	95	5-8-2
6	SCC Love Never Fails	92	5-7-3
7	SCC Saucy Thins	85	4-7-4
8	Faith Moves Mountains	69	3-5-7
9	CP Kitties	61	2-7-6
10	GLD Love Like Jesus	40	1-3-11
11	Epic Levites	37	0-6-6
12	GLD Love Builds Up	36	1-3-11
12	Epic Secrets	36	1-3-11

Ptc	Team Name	Pts	Record
1	MCC Raised in Glory	168	15-0-0
2	NR I Am Your Father	151	12-3-0
3	Absolute Faith	110	8-4-3
4	LP Brothers in Christ	105	8-3-4
5	SCC Sacrifice	93	5-6-4
6	Epic Knows Nothing	89	4-9-2
7	NR Fellowship of the Ring	84	6-3-6
8	SPN Fishers of Pokémen	82	3-9-3
9	Epic Sauce the Knees	81	4-7-4
10	NR Love Has No Fear	74	3-6-6
11	LP Ferocious Ferraris	70	3-7-5
12	SCC Whole Batch of Dough	42	0-6-9
13	Epic God The Builder	40	0-6-9
14	SCC Ready For Solid Food	37	2-1-12
14	CP Fulfilled Among Us Pt. 2	37	1-4-7

# LL Individual - Feb. 2026

Rnk	First Name	Last Name	Team Name	Pts	Avg.	Err
1	Veda	Smith	RUMC Faith	1,290	86.00	12
2	Henry	Dixon*	LP 3 Veggie Straws	1,230	82.00	7
3	Ariya	Hafner	SCC Love Never Fails	1,230	82.00	15
4	Levi	Peterson	MCC Grace and Peace	1,100	73.33	10
5	Nadya	Peterson	MCC Grace and Peace	790	52.67	8
6	Margaret	Smith	RUMC Faith	790	52.67	17
7	Eden	Ringbloom	LP 3 Veggie Straws	690	57.50	4
8	Rosalie	Montgomery*	CP Kitties	620	44.29	22
9	Tessa	Graff	LP FruFru Fish	590	39.33	20
10	Isaac	Ringbloom	LP FruFru Fish	580	38.67	21
11	Jonah	Kittleman	COS Fools for Christ	560	46.67	7
12	Edwyn	Troiike	COS Fools for Christ	520	34.67	16
13	Allegra	Galindo*	Faith Moves Mountains	520	34.67	17
14	Levi	Whiteaker	Epic Levites	480	40.00	16
15	Clark	Kleiner	SCC Saucy Thins	480	32.00	24
16	Abi	Nkata*	GLD Love Builds Up	410	27.33	5
17	Judah	Ron*	MCC Grace and Peace	380	25.33	12
18	Ben	Brady*	GLD Love Like Jesus	300	21.43	3
19	Lila	Nelson	Epic Secrets	240	20.00	3
20	Oliver	Zieschang*	COS Fools for Christ	200	13.33	3
21	Laira	Nunez	Faith Moves Mountains	180	12.00	5
22	Annika	Haines*	GLD Love Like Jesus	180	15.00	6
23	Esther	Eapen	SCC Saucy Thins	170	12.14	7
23	Mia	Herrera*	Faith Moves Mountains	170	18.89	7
25	Zach	Brady*	GLD Love Builds Up	160	10.67	4
26	Max	Blum	SCC Saucy Thins	140	10.00	5
27	Eloisa	Poprawa	SCC Saucy Thins	120	8.00	5
28	Eli	Nkata*	GLD Love Like Jesus	100	11.11	0
29	David	Kozlowski*	Epic Secrets	60	6.67	7
30	Luca	DellaPella*	GLD Love Like Jesus	40	3.33	0
31	Eliza	Smith	RUMC Faith	40	2.67	1
32	Ada	Pyle	LP 3 Veggie Straws	40	3.33	2
33	Natalie	Moore*	SCC Love Never Fails	40	4.44	3
34	Elissa	Fales	LP FruFru Fish	30	2.50	0
35	Jonah	Nelson*	Epic Secrets	20	1.67	4
35	Ally	Nelson*	SCC Love Never Fails	20	2.22	4
35	Lucas	Draper*	GLD Love Builds Up	20	2.22	4
38	Levi	Hoekstra	Epic Levites	20	1.67	11
39	Opal	Zieschang*	COS Fools for Christ	10	1.00	0
40	Caleb	Catanas*	GLD Love Builds Up	10	1.11	1
41	Logan	Uren*	CP Kitties	0	0.00	4
42	Raeya	Pillivant*	CP Kitties	0	0.00	2
43	Luke	Uren*	CP Kitties	0	0.00	1
44	Grace	Moore*	SCC Love Never Fails	0	0.00	0



**2026**  
**CHICAGO**  
**TOURNAMENT INFO PACK**  
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## Schedule

**January 10:** All quizzers, coaches, officials and parents are asked to complete an online pre-registration form. Use this QR code or go the bottom of the Quizzify DBQ Stats page. Even if you know that you will not be going to Chicago, it helps the Steering Committee to have your information.



**February 14:** Quizzers complete qualifying.

**February 14:** Confirm you are going and pay for quizzing team fee and/or T-shirts to Jerry Graff by the end of the competition.

**March 6:** Deadline to get the reservation discount at the hotel.

**March 20:** Hotel check-in begins at 3:00 P.M. An orientation meeting will be held Friday evening at 8:00 (Chicago time) in the conference room. This is a mandatory meeting for all Detroit Bible Quizzing participants.

**March 21:** On Saturday, breakfast at the hotel is between 6:00–8:00 A.M. Quizzing will start at about 8:30 A.M. at the university.

**March 22:** On Sunday morning, breakfast at the hotel is between 6:00–9:00 A.M. We will have a joint worship service/sharing time starting at 9:00 A.M. Check-out is 11:00 A.M.

## Advance Costs

**Team Fee and Shirts.** DBQ will (1) register the teams with the World Bible Quiz Association (\$80 per team) and (2) design and obtain the T-shirts. The per person cost of these two items is payable to DBQ and to be given to Jerry Graff on March 8, as follows:

- for *quizzers*, the cost is \$20 toward the team fee and \$14 for the shirt, for a total of \$34.
- for *coaches*, the T-shirt is complimentary.
- for *others*, the T-shirt is optional, but if you want one (the cost is \$14) please order it on February 14.

**Hotel.** DBQ has arranged a discount at the Best Western Plus (see below). However, each quiz group or family needs to make its own arrangements with the hotel to reserve your room(s). The discount rate is \$109.00 per room per night plus tax. The discounted reservation deadline is March 6.

## Locations

We will stay at the Best Western Plus Hotel & Suites.  
62 Ken Hayes Drive, Bourbonnais, IL, 60914.  
The front desk line is (815) 932-4411.  
To make your reservation on-line, use this QR code:



Plan on 5-6 hours travel time from the Detroit area.

We will quiz at Olivet Nazarene University  
1 University Ave, Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(<http://www.olivet.edu>)

The school is 3 miles southwest of the hotel; plan on a 10-minute drive

March 20 – 22, 2026

Best Western Plus

Olivet Nazarene University

Bourbonnais, Illinois

## How Are Teams Made Up?

Every quizzing leader who qualifies for the Chicago Tournament gets placed in a pool. A team of quizzing leaders get together and put the teams together like an intricate puzzle. This team-make-up committee considers quizzers' local performance all year long, their home location and how close they are to other quizzers in their area, their specialization (if they have one) and overall team chemistry. Each team is then assigned a coach that best fits that team's makeup.

## Will There Be An All Teams Practice?

No, not with Chicago coming just one week after the March Day of Champions Tournament. But coaches are encouraged to be creative and try to get their team together for practice, perhaps with another team as well.

## What About Transportation To Chicago?

Each church or quizzing group is responsible for its own transportation. There may be room in another church's van for you if you need a ride, but you must make your need known.

## What About Food?

Breakfast is included in the hotel's room charge. All of your remaining meals for the weekend will be on your own. Plan on whatever meals you will have while traveling and then add Friday dinner, Saturday lunch and dinner, and Sunday lunch going home. You should have somewhere between 4-7 total meals depending on when you travel.

## How Does Someone Get A DBQ T-Shirt?

At the hotel on Friday evening, there will be a DBQ orientation meeting. At that time, the DBQ T-shirts for the Tournament will be unveiled.

## What Stuff Should Be Brought?

A medical release form for quizzers 17 and under who will not be accompanied by a parent (sample attached). What else: swimsuit for the indoor pool, work-out gear for the Fitness Center, quiz portion and study materials (for last minute review!), clothing appropriate for the season (stay warm and dry!).

## Have A Great Time!

Make sure that you plan on getting to know others outside of your own church. Take a risk. Make a new friend. Scripture says that the world will know us by the kind of love we show each other as Christians. Let's make sure we show them exactly what the Lord meant by that. It's gonna be a great time! We can't wait to see you all down there!

*Problems or questions?... contact Nathan Parker (248) 249-9105*

**2026 CHICAGO TOURNAMENT TRIP  
MEDICAL CARE AUTHORIZATION**

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OF \_\_\_\_\_, AUTHORIZE ANY MEDICAL  
CARE DEEMED NECESSARY BY AN ACCREDITED PHYSICIAN, NURSE OR  
HOSPITAL WHILE ATTENDING THE CHICAGO TOURNAMENT ON March 20 – 22,  
2026.

FAMILY INSURANCE COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_

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HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL CONTACT AND PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT MEDICAL INFORMATION SHOULD THE SPONSORS KNOW: \_\_\_\_\_

IS YOUR SON/DAUGHTER CURRENTLY TAKING ANY PRESCRIPTION

MEDICATION? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

IF YES, WHAT: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED:

DATED: