



Region VI November 2010 Newsletter



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Making sure you don't *fall* behind...

Hello Region VI! I hope that all of your FBLA endeavors are going as well as mine. It has definitely been a busy beginning to our year and I cannot believe it is already fall. There has been a lot going on in the FBLA world in the past couple months and this newsletter is to update you on recent happenings and keep you posted on what's ahead. With FLL and WFLC both over and huge successes (see articles below); the next big event to look forward to is RLC on February 5th. In this newsletter are some things you can do to start getting ready for the regional conference and other ideas to keep you and your chapter busy before the big day. I hope you all are enjoying the year thus far.

Happy Thanksgiving!



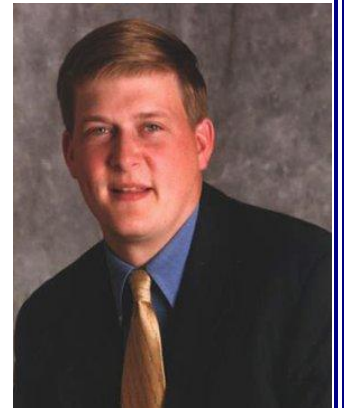
Giving Thanks

I would like to give a huge thank you to anyone who helped out or attended our Fall Leadership Lab and the Wisconsin Fall Leadership Conference. FLL was a daylong event held in Madison where attendees were given the opportunity to attend a variety of workshops planned by state officers and nationally renowned speaker, Andrew McCrea.

WFLC was held in Appleton at the Paper Valley Hotel. It was a three-day event where students heard from a huge mixture of speakers and learned about everything from competitive events to the business world to post-secondary education. Both of these events were very beneficial for those in attendance and once again I would like to extend a huge thank you to anyone who took time to help make them possible.



Pictured above is some of the hard work by students at FLL and speaker Andrew McCrea (right)



Do You Remember...?

So there might not be anything big going on in the FBLA world on “the 21st night of September”, but here are some other dates to remember:

Nov. 29th – Dec. 1st ... Membership Verification via e-mail

Dec. 6th – 17th ... RLC Registration

Dec. 15th ... Regional VP Applications due to State Office

Jan. 6th – 19th ... Online Testing and Skill Events

Jan. 7th ... RLC Substitution and Cancellation Deadline

Jan. 21st ... Pre-judged and Skill Event Materials to BEHS by 5:00 p.m.

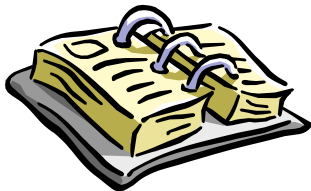
Feb. 5th ... RLC at BEHS in Brookfield, WI

Feb. 6th – 12th ... FBLA Week

Feb. 23th – March 4th ... SLC Registration and Testing Window

April 10th – 12th ... SLC in Appleton, WI

June 28th -July 1st ... NLC in Orlando, FL



Useful Websites

www.dpi.state.wi.us/fbla/ - state website

www.fbla-pbl.org/ - national website

Make sure to check these sites for any information on BAAs, dates, competitive event guidelines, and other FBLA info.

Competitive Events

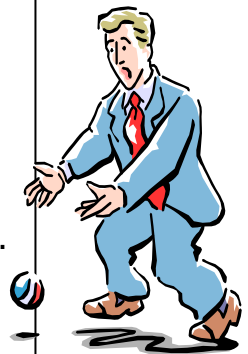
One of the most important and exciting parts of FBLA is showcasing your talents through competitive events at various conferences. There is a huge selection of events ranging from subjective tests to presentations to “role-playing” events. I strongly encourage each and every one of you to participate. New events this year include Digital Design and Promotion, Hospitality Management, and Healthcare Administration. If you have questions about these events or any others ask your advisor or consult the state website.

Business Achievement Awards

If you are looking for something to keep you busy over the winter months, look no further than BAAs.

The BAA is a program with four levels of achievement: Future, Business, Leader, and America.

They are a very practical selection of tasks that can earn recognition at RLC and SLC. Check the state website for more information.



Don't drop the ball ... start your BAAs now!

We Need Your Help

Want to share your ideas with everyone in your region? Want to show off how great your chapter is? Send your ideas and pictures to wifblaregion6vp@gmail.com, and you and your chapter can be featured in the next Region VI Newsletter!

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