

## Spontaneous Festival Update

Thank you to all the teams that have signed up to take part so far! Registration has been extended so that more teams may take advantage of the fun and training that the Festival will provide. We have firmed up more details which should help teams decide whether to take part...

The Spontaneous Festival will take place on Sunday February 26th 2023 from 9am onwards. The location (tbd) will be in Reston VA. The \$50 fee may be paid via Venmo. Each team will go home with a mini spontaneous kit and problems that we have put together.

The way the Festival will run will depend on how many teams sign up for each division. One or two teams from the same division will enter a room, and alternate doing the problems. One team will take part while the other team observes. At the end of the problem, the "judges" will score and break down the problem, give feedback and both teams will participate in the discussion. Then we will switch and the observing team will do a different problem while the first team observes. We will cover all three types of spontaneous problems. The problems will be adjusted to each division.

If your team would like to take part, please email [Npetinaux@gmail.com](mailto:Npetinaux@gmail.com) how many team members will take part, how many coaches will attend, which division your team is in and which school the team is from.

We are still in the midst of preparing for this fun and informative event, but our team is looking forward to meeting your teams and helping them. We always enjoyed working on spontaneous problems and we hope to help younger teams do their best in the upcoming competition.

## Deadline extended to Wednesday Feb 15th. 2023 by 9pm