**For Next Year:**

* Limit entry to 2 events at IE Quals (eliminate triple entry)
* Yield-preferences must be submitted prior to Quals for double-entered students (even if it’s just “take higher rank”)
* Replace “TI” with “POI” on all paperwork
* Remove “No ties except for 4th” from comment sheets
* Clarify wording for tie-breakers.
* Tie all bottom speakers at 5 (eliminate 56 and 57 because it unfairly penalizes larger panels)—kg’s note: it works at states b/c all panels are equal—every panel is 7 large, but at our IE Quals we have panels ranging from 5 to 7 in almost every event.
* True rankings (e.g. 4th - 7th) should be on rank sheets, even if not on student ballot for coach reference (even if rank doesn’t count for math)
* Remove Speaker points from IE qual ballots (we don’t use them anyway and they’re not informative). For regular season league tournaments: create a rubric that makes Speaker Points (and comments) more consistent, and maybe no ties in Speaker Points?
* Change league open ballots from 1-4 to 1-5
* Eliminate sweepstakes awards (will save $$)
* RE-VISIT CAPS (obviously entry cap per event didn’t help us …)

**SCRIPT SUBMISSIONS**

* All scripts MUST be submitted at the FIRST script meeting to be considered for Quals
* Re-submissions need a time cut-off for turn-ins at following tournaments
* Coach MUST stay at script reading until all their scripts have been checked and/or returned (unless prior arrangements have been made). Note: this does not mean your scripts will be prioritized.