

2008 San Diego Mathcounts Chapter Competition

Date: February 9, 2008

Location: UCSD-Center Lecture Hall (CLH)

Parking: Gilman parking structure on intersection of Gilman and Russell

Registration: 8 am to 8:45 am

Coaches Meeting 8:45 am

Volunteer Training (see below)

Testing: 9:30 am to 11:20 am

Lunch: 11:30 am

Countdown Round: 1 pm

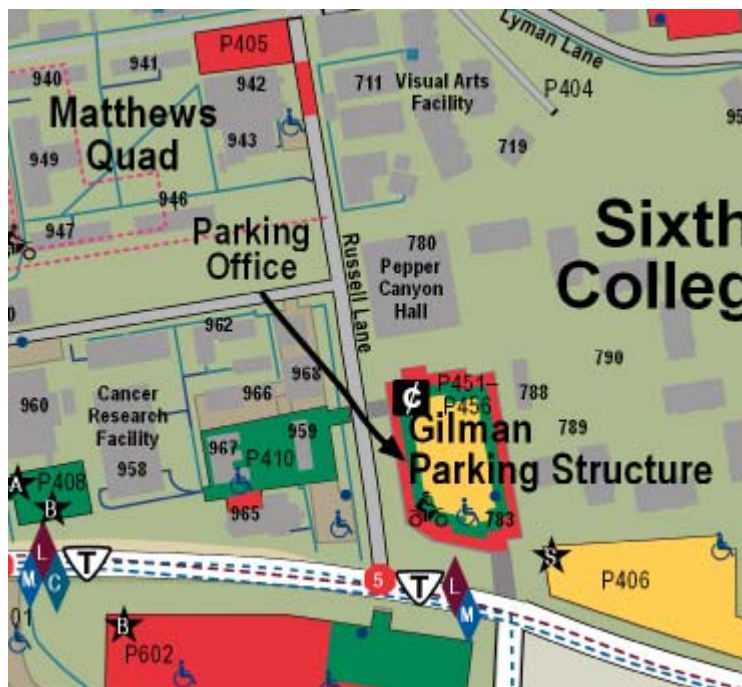
Awards: 2:00 pm

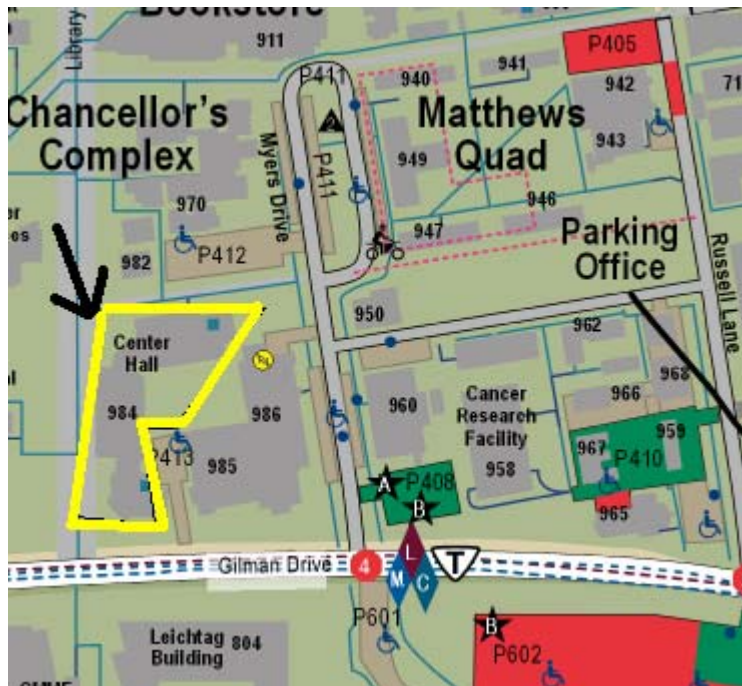
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Directions:

Take I-5 to the La Jolla Village Drive exit (west). Turn right at Villa La Jolla Drive and the parking structure is right in front of the “T intersection” of Villa La Jolla Drive and Gilman Drive. The second entrance for the parking structure is on Russell (make a left on Gilman and immediate right on the first stop sign (Russell) and the parking entrance is on your right, as marked in the map below). Parking is free. CLH is on the north-east side of Gilman and the Library Walk. See maps below for Parking and the CLH locations.





Registration

Check-in will be at the courtyard on the north-west end of the CLH unless there is bad weather. If the weather is poor, registration will be held in Center Lecture Hall #115.

Site Access

Students and Coaches are not allowed inside the Grader's Room at any time. Coaches and guests are not allowed in the classrooms from the start of the Sprint Round to the end of the Team Round.

Facilities

The Team Student classrooms have moveable seating with folding desktops. The seats can be moved together for the Team Round. The Independent Student classroom is a small lecture hall with fixed seating and foldable desks. Center Lecture Hall #119, Price Center and Center Hall Courtyard (outside) are available for hanging out.

Schedule

Time	Activity	Location
8:00 am to 8:45 am (Rain- #115)	Registration	Center Hall Courtyard
8:30 am	Proctor Training	Center Lecture Hall 101
8:45 am	Coaches Meeting	Center Lecture Hall 101 or 201
9:30 am	Grader Training	Center Lecture Hall 222
9:30 am to 10:10 am	Sprint Round (10-minute break)	See table below
10:20 am to 10:50 am	Target Round (10-minute break)	See table below
11:00 am to 11:20 am	Team Round	See table below
11:30 am to 1:00 pm	Lunch	Round Table Pizza
1:00 pm to 1:45 pm	Countdown Round	Center Lecture Hall 101
1:45 pm to 2:30 pm	Awards	Center Lecture Hall 101

All testing will be held in lecture halls on the 2nd Floor.

Grading will be in CLH 222.

All independents will test in CLH 217A and 217B.

Rooms for students that are part of a team only

CLH 201	CLH 203	CLH 205	CLH 207
Mesa Verde Middle School	Rhoades School	Del Mar Hills Academy of Arts & Science	Lapresa Middle School
Black Mountain Middle School	Standley Middle School	Earl Warren Middle School	Martin Luther King, Jr. Middle School
Carmel Valley Middle School	Muirlands Middle School	Francis Parker Middle School	Meadowbrook Middle School
Del Mar Heights Elementary School	Vista Magnet Middle School	Kipp Adelante Preparatory Academy	Momentum Middle School Rancho Minerva Middle School

Note: Bishops School will field 3 independents and Sycamore Ridge School will field 2 independents

Testing Format

An announcement will be made at around 9:15 am telling the students where to report for the Sprint Round. The proctor will lead them to the rooms. The individuals will compete in different rooms than the team members. The procedure for each test will be presented by the proctor. Proctors will allow students to leave the testing room during the breaks. Individuals can form informal teams to take the team test, if they desire. Only the raw score will be provided. The Countdown Round is a fast-paced one-on-one competition. If guests can only be at one part of the event, this is it. The rules for the Countdown Round will be presented to the students and audience. Please refer to the Mathcounts Handbook for rules. The Coordinator will make all decisions affecting the results of the competition. Coaches can pick up their tally sheets after the awards are given.

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2008 Competing Schools

BISHOPS SCHOOL
 BLACK MOUNTAIN MIDDLE SCHOOL
 CARMEL VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL
 DEL MAR HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
 DEL MAR HILLS ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENC
 EARL WARREN MIDDLE SCHOOL
 FRANCIS PARKER MIDDLE SCHOOL
 KIPP ADELANTE PREPARATORY ACADEMY
 LAPRESA MIDDLE SCHOOL
 MARTIN LUTHER KING JUNIOR MIDDLE SCHOOL
 MEADOWBROOK MIDDLE SCHOOL
 MESA VERDE MIDDLE SCHOOL
 MOMENTUM MIDDLE SCHOOL
 MUIRLANDS MIDDLE SCHOOL
 RANCHO MINERVA MIDDLE SCHOOL
 RHOADES SCHOOL
 STANDLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL
 ST. MICHAELS
 SYCAMORE RIDGE SCHOOL
 VISTA MAGNET MIDDLE SCHOOL

20 Schools Registered, 18 Teams, 60 Independents, 124 Total Students

2007 Results

Rank	School
1	MUIRLANDS MIDDLE SCHOOL
2	EARL WARREN MIDDLE SCHOOL
3	MEADOWBROOK MIDDLE SCHOOL
4	FRANCIS PARKER MIDDLE SCHOOL
5	MESA VERDE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Top 10 Returning Students –

Name	School
Robi Bhattacharjee	Earl Warren Middle School
Andrew Liao	Earl Warren Middle School
Anson Khang	Earl Warren Middle School
William Spitzer	Bishops School
Christine Li	Mesa Verde Middle School
Thomas Swayze	Meadowbrook Middle School
Hailan Pang	Standley Middle School
Sarah McConnell	Standley Middle School
Olivia Wu	Meadowbrook Middle School
Janis Yue	Meadowbrook Middle School

What Coaches need to do prior to the competition?

1. Send in a Team/Individual Roster to the Coordinator by January 25, 2008.
2. Send in a Guest List to the Coordinator by January 25, 2008.
3. Provide guests with directions to UCSD
4. Insure students know the date of the state competition (March 15, 2008 at UC-Irvine and UC Davis) to avoid conflicts. The national competition takes place in May, 2008 in Denver, CO.

What Coaches need to do on the day of the competition?

1. Make sure all individuals are registered
2. Make sure students understand that team member and individuals from the same school will be competing in different rooms.
3. Attend the coaches meeting at 8:45 am
4. Help make sure students get back into the rooms after breaks
5. Inform students about staggering lunch times to avoid overcrowding
6. Stress that students are not to verbalize answers during the Countdown Round
7. Pick up your Tally Sheets after the awards ceremony
8. Pick up your State Packet, if advancing.

Food

Breakfast - Coffee, water, doughnuts, bagels (Center Hall Courtyard)

Lunch – Pizza (2 slices), soda

Food and drinks (except bottled water) are not allowed in classrooms or lecture halls. The Price Center food court will be open for food and drink, at your cost, and is a 2 minute walk. We will host pizza and sodas at Round Table Pizza at Price Center after the morning testing for students, guests, coaches and volunteers. We ask that the independent students go to Round Table Pizza for lunch immediately after the Target Round followed by the team students after the Team Round. Volunteers, Coaches and Guests can go to Round Table Pizza between 11 am and 12:30 pm.

Restrooms

Restrooms are available in Center Lecture Hall and Price Center

Countdown Round

The Countdown Round will pit the top 16 individual scorers against each other in a “Sweet 16” format. The students will be completing only for awards and prizes. The results of the Countdown Round will not have an impact on advancement to State. Student may decline to compete. In this case, the next highest scorer will be allowed to compete.

Coach/Guest Activities

Visitors typically socialize, read a book or solve math problems while testing takes place. We will show a movie if the A/V system allows.

Results

Public results will be posted on the web site and mailed to coaches by the following weekend.

Making This Happen

The San Diego competition is organized and executed through unpaid volunteers, with the exception of pre-event mailings and web posting. Local engineering societies sponsor the awards, prizes, food, equipment, supplies and post-event mailings.

Awards

Team – 1st to 5th
Individual – 1st to 7th
Countdown Round – 1st to 4th
Team Coach – 1st to 5th
Individual Coach – 1st to 5th

Prizes

Gift certificates, others TBD

Advancement to State

The teams and individuals that will advance to state competition will be announced at the conclusion of the awards ceremony. Coaches for teams advancing to state and individuals advancing to state should pick up an information packet from the Coordinator before leaving. Please check the handbook for number of teams and individuals available to advance to State. If **Muirlands** repeats as the first place team, an additional team will advance to State.

Publicity

Local news organizations will be invited to the event.