**MT. HOOD COMMUNITY COLLEGE FORENSICS PROGRAM**

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The Hoodlum Nation of Mt. Hood Community College would like to invite you to participate at the last GREATER PORTLAND PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE LEAGUE tournament of this competition year, which will be held at MHCC Friday, March 2nd. I hope you are able to take advantage of this format which allows competition in a friendly, low cost atmosphere which doesn’t take up a whole weekend.

We will offer IPDA only.  We will be offering two divisions—Open and Novice (But reserve the right to collapse depending on number of entries).

**Entry fee: To keep things cheap (So don’t expect shinies)…instead of paying and entry fee…please bring a cooler of snacks for the tournament. We can coordinate who brings what as we get closer to the tournament.**

**Judge Coverage: Please remember you need to provide a judge for every 2 teams contestants entered.** **PLEASE COVER YOUR JUDGES!!!** I may be able to few judges to hire on an individual basis.  Please contact me directly as soon as possible if you would like me to try to find a judge for you. There will be an uncovered judging fee is **$75.00 per uncovered team**….and we do reserve the right to request you drop teams if we can’t find a judge for your entries.

The deadline for entry is Tuesday, February 27th - but please send me an indication of your interest earlier if possible.  **Please send your entries to me at** **valdivis@mhcc.edu**

Our schedule is very simple:

**Friday – March 2nd (If we can single flight – the schedule will move up)**

9:30 am Registration (AC 1700)

10 am – 11:15 am Round One

11:30 am – 1 pm Round Two

1pm – 1:30 – BRIEF LUNCH

1:45 pm – 3 pm Round Three

3:15 pm – 4:30 pm Elim #1

4:45 pm – 6:00 pm Elim Round Two (if needed)

We hope you will make your way to Gresham and join us!

**Shannon Valdivia**

**Director of Forensics**

**Mt. Hood CC**