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Salvete omnes!

Welcome to another great year of CAJCL! We are thrilled to be hosting the 64th California State Convention at Miramonte High School from **March 29th to March 30th**, 2018. Here is some vital information.

1. **Registration** is similar to last year.
 - a. **Sponsors** must first register their schools and then enter information sent them via email into an Excel workbook to email to Matthew Davis, 750 Moraga Way Orinda 94563 no later than **February 20**. The activity sheets are for the sponsor to use with their students. The chapter registration must also be filled out online.
 - b. **Students** fill out activity sheets, waivers and medical forms online at cajcl.org as fillable PDFs to download, print, sign, and give to their sponsors.
 - c. **Adults** (SCL, chaperones, sponsors) fill out registration and medical/waiver online.
2. Read the **White Booklet** with all rules before entering competitions.
3. Read the **Blue Booklet** for schedules, **new activities** including Stargazing, building a Triumphal Arch, a new and improved Carnival, Nationals Info Lunch, Dessert Booth, Graphic Arts Best in Show contest, and a National Banner Contest as well as **familiar Ludi events** including *Agora* (Bazaar), Bubble Soccer (requires waiver to be brought to convention), *Carpe Amicum*, Edible Mosaics, Karaoke, Kahoot (Classical and Harry Potter), Laser Tag, Project Runway, Open Certamen, Roman Rap Battle, Speed Dating, STEM Challenge, *Taberna* (Casino), That's Entertainment, *Venatio* (Scavenger Hunt), Cookie Decorating, and more. The **colloquia** list will follow later.
4. Competition categories are small, medium, and large for middle school as usual, and small, medium, large and **extra large** for high school.
5. **Publicity** changed last year at the national level and so also in California...Please read instructions in the White Booklet carefully.
6. The convention theme is *apes non sunt solitaria natura--* Bees are not of a solitary nature (*Varro, De Agri Cultura 3.16*).

In addition to this cover letter, please be sure that you have all the following information in your registration packets [all of which, including both the White Booklet (for recurring events) and the Blue Booklet (for this year's convention) are at cajcl.org and at mhsjcl.org/#/convention].

1. CAJCL Scholarship Application
2. CAJCL Parliamentarian Letter
3. CAJCL Candidate for Office Form
4. Convention Flyer
5. Hotel Listings

Finally, these are the items that must be sent to Matthew Davis, Miramonte High School, 750 Moraga Way, Orinda 94563 by **February 20**:

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1. Alphabetical List of Students
2. Check made out to Miramonte High School for \$100 per student and \$40 for each adult above the 1:12 ratio.
3. Student Activity Sheets (arranged alphabetically)
4. Student Medical Forms (arranged alphabetically)
5. Student Waivers (arranged alphabetically)

To see updates on convention, be sure to go to cajcl.org or mhsjcl.org/#/convention. We can't wait to see you in March!

Ex cordibus,

Kiana Hu and Brendan McFeely
Convention Presidents 2018-2019