

Coach's Contract

(to be signed and turned in at tournament registration)

Knowing that the best possible tournament can only happen when the participants are well-informed, I acknowledge the following and have communicated these points **to my team and the spectators who have come to support us:**

- My team is well prepared for today's tournament. I have reviewed with them the requirements of their problem and we have brought all necessary paperwork.
- All coaches, team members and supporters have been made aware of the regulations concerning **Outside Assistance**, both before and on tournament day.
- The buildings are open to teams and spectators beginning at 7:00 A.M. We will not attempt to enter the buildings before that time.
- Team storage areas have been assigned in hallways near the long-term performance areas. My team will keep its area safe and organized before our performance. We will remove our materials and reload our vehicles as soon as possible after our performance. We will bring a trash bag for our trash and take it back with us.
- We are to report to long term and spontaneous competition sites by 15 minutes before the scheduled time. **No supporters go anywhere near Spontaneous.**
- Spontaneous problems may not be discussed outside of the Spontaneous competition room with **anyone**. After the end of competition day, the spontaneous problem given may only be discussed **within the team** until OotM competitions **throughout the world** are complete. Anyone who reveals a spontaneous problem to others, even by accident, subjects the entire team to disqualification.
- We are prepared to show respect and good sportsmanship to all other competitors, coaches, judges, media, audience members, and tournament officials. All performers, (competitors and other entertainers), speakers, and award recipients deserve a respectful audience. **We realize that everyone sits in the bleachers at the awards assembly; no one may sit on the floor. We will not leave our places before the last award is presented and the assembly is dismissed.**
- Raw scores will be available from the Long Term problem site about one-half hour after the team's performance. After the Awards Ceremony, the scores will be available online on our regional website: www.nepaootm.com
- Program and food sales are available at the tournament site throughout the day. All food and drinks stay in the cafeteria. No food or drinks are allowed in any other area of the building.
- **Everyone needs a place to sit when they go into the cafeteria to eat. To that end, no one or no one group may claim tables for longer than one hour. The cafeteria is not a team or family storage area. No one may camp out in the cafeteria. No one may use the electrical outlets there. Those who bring coolers or other food storage containers in for their meals, must bring them in just before they eat, and remove them directly afterwards.**
- No one may attempt to enter any competition site after the Door Monitor has shut the door. Pagers and cell phones are to be turned off in any competitive venue.
- Only the coach may approach tournament officials to inquire about any scoring issue.

Coach's Signature _____

Membership # _____ Problem _____ Division _____