

DRAMA, DEBATE & FORENSICS

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Welcome to another year of Drama Debate and Forensics!

Practices will begin on Wednesday, August 27th. Mondays (which will not begin until after Labor Day) are for Debate and Wednesdays are for Forensics and Drama.

Fair warning: this year, once our regular practices begin, students who have not found something to work on before coming to practice, will be asked to leave. Practice is not the time to find pieces, do homework, play on the computer or socialize. Debaters will also be held accountable for being prepared *before* practice and will be asked to leave if they are not.

Enclosed are a number of forms that will need to be read, completed and signed by old and new team members alike, along with their parents. If you are ready to join, feel free turn them in at Wednesday's meeting, along with your activity fee of \$150. Make your check payable to Homer High DDF, and place it in a separate envelope with your student's name on the front. If the fee presents a problem, please let me know and you can make arrangements to pay over time or we will attempt to find a business sponsor.

The enclosed materials include a "Q & A" sheet on DDF which should answer most of your questions. If, after reviewing it, you have additional questions, you can call me at 235-4667 or e-mail me at <u>AJohnson@kpbsd.k12.ak.us</u>. I hope you are all looking forward to a new and successful season.

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