



NCOM 2023 STATE TOURNAMENT

.....
*Wakefield High School
Wakefield Middle School
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Welcome!

The NC Odyssey of the Mind (NCOM) State Board and our Eastern Region joins Wakefield High School and Wakefield Middle School in welcoming all participants to our 2023 State Finals!

Odyssey of the Mind is the ultimate creative problem-solving program and allows students to work together in a fun and safe environment to apply what they are learning in class. Students combine the knowledge and skills they have acquired with their interests and passions to creatively solve OM's unique open-ended problems. Along with important STEM skills, students learn teamwork, goal setting, budgeting, public speaking, and so much more.

Odyssey of the Mind does not happen without the efforts of many people. Our NCOM State and Region Boards are 100% volunteer and devote countless hours to ensure students have a great experience. Problem Captains are responsible for their respective judging teams and ensure appropriate scoring and feedback is provided to teams. Judges are trained to look for unusual, creative ideas during the Long Term problem presentation and Spontaneous problem. Finally, NCOM wants to extend a special 'Thank You' to all the coaches and parents who have dedicated many hours over the last several months. Your contribution is one more way you shape the lives of our students.

Enjoy the day and the creativity that will be on display!

Randy Burton
Tournament Director/Eastern Region
Director/ State Problem 1 Captain

Tom Bojanski
NC Association Director

Tournament Logistics

Wifi

Free wifi access is available using the WCPSS guest network. A password is not needed.

Lost & Found

Please take all items to the Registration & Information Desk in the lobby of Wakefield High School.

Coaches or Parents: Please stay with your team/children at all times. Encourage your students to leave valuables in your vehicles. NCOM is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged articles. We are guests of Wakefield High School and Wakefield Middle School. Enjoy your time on campus today while respecting the buildings and landscape!

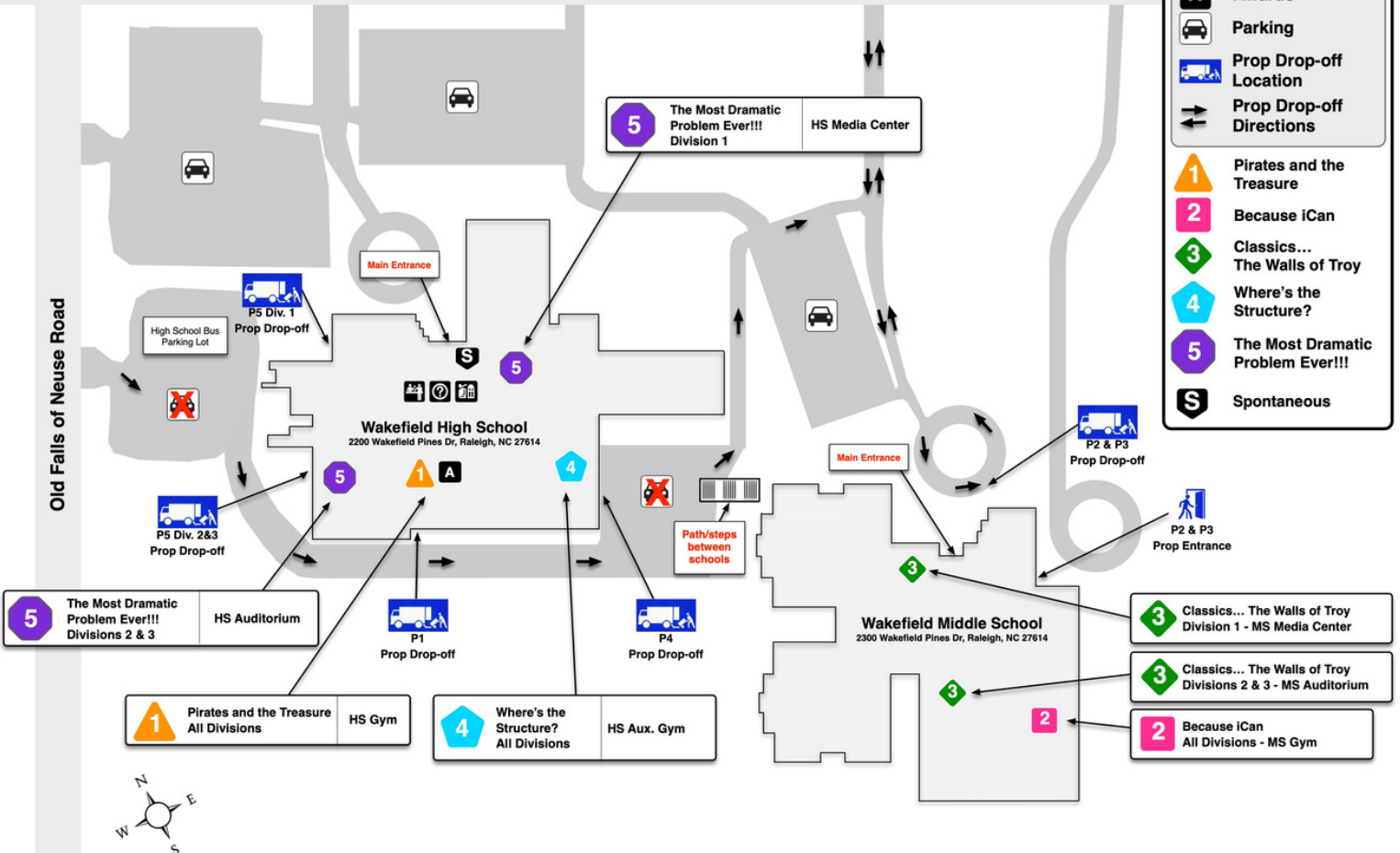
Tournament Site Map

North Carolina Odyssey of the Mind State Tournament Site Map

Wakefield Pines Dr.

Old Falls of Neuse Road

	Team Registration
	Information
	Souvenir Sales
	Awards
	Parking
	Prop Drop-off Location
	Prop Drop-off Directions
	Pirates and the Treasure
	Because iCan
	Classics... The Walls of Troy
	Where's the Structure?
	The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!!
	Spontaneous



Tournament Schedule

Registration7:00am - 12:00pm

Wakefield High School Main Lobby - Registration & Information Desk

Competitions.....8:00am - 3:20pm

Wakefield High School

Problem 1: Pirates and the Treasure (*Main Gym*)

Problem 4: Where's the Structure? (*Auxiliary Gym*)

Problem 5: The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!!

(*Media Center - Division I; Auditorium - Divisions II & III*)

Spontaneous (*Off Main Lobby*)

Wakefield Middle School

Problem 2: Because iCan (*Main Gym*)

Problem 3: Classics...The Walls of Troy

(*Media Center - Division I; Theater - Divisions II & III*)

Sales.....8:00am - 4:30pm

Wakefield High School Main Lobby

Closing Ceremony.....begins 4:00pm

Wakefield High School Main Gym

Pre-Awards (pg 20) & Hat Contest (pg 21).....**4:00pm**

Awards.....**5:00pm**

Meeting for Teams Advancing to World Finals

Wakefield High School Auditorium

Immediately after awards ceremony

Pirates and the Treasure Division I

	<i>High School Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
FIRST FLIGHT ELE SCH #9762 Coastal Region, Kill Devil Hills	08:10AM	11:10AM
EVERGREEN COMM CHARTER SCH #38185 Western Region, Asheville	08:30AM	10:10AM
FLETCHER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL #19798 Western Region, Fletcher	08:50AM	12:10PM
CAROLINA DAY SCHOOL #2792 Western Region, Asheville	09:10AM	01:10PM
MAGELLAN CHARTER SCHOOL #48575 Eastern Region, Raleigh	09:30AM	11:30AM
Break	09:50AM	
ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL #34135 Coastal Region, Wilmington	10:10AM	08:50AM
CELESTE HENKEL ELEMENTARY #41257 Northern Region, Statesville	10:30AM	01:30PM
D.F. WALKER ELEMENTARY SCH #5484 Coastal Region, Edenton	10:50AM	11:50AM
MEADOWLARK ELE SCH #35721 Northern Region, Winston Salem	11:10AM	08:30AM
SHARON ELE SCH #387 Central Region, Charlotte	11:30AM	10:30AM
ENDEAVOR CHARTER SCHOOL #43016 Eastern Region, Wake Forest	11:50AM	09:10AM
Lunch	12:10PM	
WASHINGTON ELE SCH #25513 Eastern Region, Raleigh	12:50PM	09:30AM
SOUTHWEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL #46609 Northern Region, Clemmons	01:10PM	10:50AM

Pirates and the Treasure Division II

	<i>High School Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
CHOWAN MIDDLE SCHOOL #5758 Coastal Region, Tyner	08:00AM	09:00AM
CUTHBERTSON MIDDLE SCHOOL #39816 Central Region, WAXHAW	08:20AM	11:20AM
LIGON GT MAGNET MID SCH #15132 Eastern Region, Raleigh	08:40AM	11:00AM
SEDFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL #14277 Central Region, Charlotte	09:00AM	08:00AM
GROVER C FIELDS MIDDLE SCHOOL #48662 Coastal Region, New Bern	09:20AM	10:40AM
Break	09:40AM	
NORTHWEST GUILFORD KIWANIS B #49505 Northern Region, Greensboro	10:00AM	08:40AM
MILLS PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL #40001 Eastern Region, Cary	10:20AM	09:20AM
NORTHWEST GUILFORD KIWANIS A #48448 Northern Region, Greensboro	10:40AM	11:40AM
CASWELL COUNTY HOMESCHOOLERS #49362 Eastern Region, Yanceyville	11:00AM	01:00PM
WESTCHESTER COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL #37330 Northern Region, High Point	11:20AM	12:40PM
MCCLINTOCK MID SCH #3701 Central Region, Charlotte	11:40AM	08:20AM
Lunch	12:00PM	
FAITH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL #39549 Coastal Region, Rocky Mount	12:40PM	10:00AM
FERNLEAF COMMUNITY CHARTER SCH #48783 Western Region, Fletcher	01:00PM	10:20AM

Pirates and the Treasure Division III

	<i>High School Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
EAST MECKLENBURG HIGH SCHOOL #379 Central Region, Charlotte	01:20PM	02:20PM
RICHLANDS H S #34874 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	01:40PM	02:40PM
Break	02:00PM	
LEESVILLE ROAD HIGH SCHOOL #48840 Eastern Region, Raleigh	02:20PM	01:00PM
WESTCHESTER COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL #37330 Northern Region, High Point	02:40PM	01:40PM
JOHN A HOLMES H S #5745 Coastal Region, Edenton	03:00PM	02:00PM

Because iCan Division I

	<i>Middle School Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
DOUGLAS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL #35488 Eastern Region, Raleigh	08:00AM	10:40AM
BRINSON MEMORIAL ELE SCH #45686 Coastal Region, New Bern	08:20AM	12:20PM
MEADOWLARK ELE SCH #35721 Northern Region, Winston Salem	08:40AM	11:20AM
Break	09:00AM	
ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL #34135 Coastal Region, Wilmington	09:20AM	08:00AM
CAROLINA DAY SCHOOL #2792 Western Region, Asheville	09:40AM	02:20PM
SANFORD CREEK ELEMENTARY SCH #40792 Eastern Region, Rolesville	10:00AM	08:40AM
ENDEAVOR CHARTER SCHOOL #43016 Eastern Region, Wake Forest	10:20AM	01:00PM
WOODLAND HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY #37948 Northern Region, Mooresville	10:40AM	12:40PM
MILLS PARK ELEMENTARY SCH B #38849 Eastern Region, Cary	11:00AM	01:40PM
Lunch	11:40AM	
CAROLINA FOREST ELE SCH #34865 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	12:20PM	11:00AM
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB THE PLATEAU #48693 Western Region, Cashiers	12:40PM	02:40PM
PARKER ACADEMIC CENTER A #13267 Central Region, Charlotte	01:00PM	02:00PM

Because iCan Division II

	<i>Middle School Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
FAITH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL #39549 Coastal Region, Rocky Mount	08:10AM	10:20AM
MILLS PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL #40001 Eastern Region, Cary	08:30AM	12:00PM
PIEDMONT IB MID SCH #4229 Central Region, Charlotte	08:50AM	10:40AM
<i>Break</i>	<i>09:10AM</i>	
WESTCHESTER COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL #37330 Northern Region, High Point	09:30AM	12:20PM
FIRST FLIGHT MIDDLE SCHOOL #10706 Coastal Region, Kill Devil Hills	09:50AM	11:00AM

Because iCan Division III

	<i>Middle School Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL #43414 Central Region, Charlotte	10:10AM	12:40PM
NORTH LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL #49423 Central Region, Lincolnton	10:30AM	01:00PM

Classics... The Walls of Troy Division I

	<i>Middle School Media Center</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
WESTCHESTER COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL #37330 Northern Region, High Point	08:30AM	12:30PM
SAND RIDGE ELE SCH #38157 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	08:50AM	10:50AM
ST. MARK CATHOLIC SCHOOL #34135 Coastal Region, Wilmington	09:10AM	12:50PM
THE EXPEDITION SCHOOL A #43902 Eastern Region, Hillsborough	09:30AM	11:10AM
<i>Break</i>	<i>09:50AM</i>	
CHARLOTTE COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL #2412 Central Region, Charlotte	10:10AM	09:10AM
WASHINGTON ELE SCH #25513 Eastern Region, Raleigh	10:30AM	11:30AM
CAROLINA DAY SCHOOL #2792 Western Region, Asheville	10:50AM	08:10AM
FULLER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL #15127 Eastern Region, Raleigh	11:10AM	08:50AM
IRWIN ACADEMIC CENTER #3704 Central Region, Charlotte	11:30AM	08:30AM
<i>Lunch</i>	<i>11:50AM</i>	
KITTY HAWK ELE SCH #2791 Coastal Region, Kitty Hawk	12:30PM	10:10AM
FERNLEAF COMMUNITY CHARTER SCH #48783 Western Region, Fletcher	12:50PM	09:30AM
PARKER ACADEMIC CENTER B #48972 Central Region, Charlotte	01:10PM	10:30AM

Classics... The Walls of Troy Division II

	<i>Middle School Theater</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
TRIANGLE DAY SCHOOL #43021 Eastern Region, Durham	08:00AM	01:20PM
CAROLINA DAY SCHOOL #2792 Western Region, Asheville	08:20AM	10:00AM
PIEDMONT IB MID SCH #4229 Central Region, Charlotte	08:40AM	11:00AM
GROVER C FIELDS MIDDLE SCHOOL #48662 Coastal Region, New Bern	09:00AM	12:20PM
<i>Break</i>	<i>09:20AM</i>	
MOORE SQUARE MAGNET MIDDLE SCH #34267 Eastern Region, Raleigh	09:40AM	08:40AM
DIXON MID SCH #15401 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	10:00AM	01:00PM
THE EXPEDITION SCHOOL A #43902 Eastern Region, Hillsborough	10:20AM	09:00AM
SWANSBORO MID SCH #23488 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	10:40AM	09:20AM
COMMUNITY HOUSE MID SCH #35854 Central Region, Charlotte	11:00AM	12:40PM
<i>Lunch</i>	<i>11:20AM</i>	
BREVARD ACADEMY #49485 Western Region, PISGAH FOREST	12:00PM	10:40AM
RANDOLPH MIDDLE SCHOOL #15373 Central Region, Charlotte	12:20PM	10:20AM

Classics... The Walls of Troy Division III

	<i>Middle School Theater</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
CHARLOTTE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL #48799 Central Region, Charlotte	12:40PM	10:40AM
PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL #43414 Central Region, Charlotte	01:00PM	12:00PM
MYERS PARK HIGH SCHOOL #12306 Central Region, Charlotte	01:20PM	11:00AM
<i>Break</i>	<i>01:40PM</i>	
THALES ACADEMY ROLESVILLE #43876 Eastern Region, Raleigh	02:20PM	12:20PM
LAKE NORMAN HIGH SCHOOL #35415 Northern Region, Mooresville	02:40PM	10:20AM
RICHLANDS H S #34874 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	03:00PM	12:40PM

Where's the Structure? Division I

	<i>High School Auxiliary Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
THE FRANCISCAN SCH #34187 Eastern Region, Raleigh	10:00AM Weigh-in: 08:00AM	09:00AM
MEADOWLARK ELE SCH #35721 Northern Region, Winston Salem	10:20AM Weigh-in: 08:40AM	09:20AM
PARKER ACADEMIC CENTER A #13267 Central Region, Charlotte	10:40AM Weigh-in: 08:20AM	09:40AM
Break	11:00AM	
SOUTHWEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL #46609 Northern Region, Clemmons	11:20AM Weigh-in: 09:00AM	10:00AM
WASHINGTON ELE SCH #25513 Eastern Region, Raleigh	11:40AM Weigh-in: 09:20AM	08:20AM

Where's the Structure? Division II

	<i>High School Auxiliary Gym</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
RANDOLPH MIDDLE SCHOOL #15373 Central Region, Charlotte	12:40PM Weigh-in: 10:00AM	08:00AM
GROVER C FIELDS MIDDLE SCHOOL #48662 Coastal Region, New Bern	01:00PM Weigh-in: 10:20AM	09:00AM
MILLS PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL #40001 Eastern Region, Cary	01:20PM Weigh-in: 10:40AM	08:40AM
MOORE SQUARE MAGNET MIDDLE SCH #34267 Eastern Region, Raleigh	01:40PM Weigh-in: 11:00AM	08:20AM

Where's the Structure? Division III

*High School
Auxiliary Gym*

High School

Member

Long-term Time

Spontaneous Time

**ARDREY KELL H S #41115
Central Region, Charlotte**

**02:00PM
Weigh-in: 11:20AM**

09:40AM

The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!! Division I

	<i>High School Media Center</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
ENDEAVOR CHARTER SCHOOL #43016 Eastern Region, Wake Forest	08:10AM	10:40AM
LAKE NORMAN ELEMENTARY #35522 Northern Region, Mooresville	08:30AM	10:00AM
PARKER ACADEMIC CENTER A #13267 Central Region, Charlotte	08:50AM	12:40PM
MILLS PARK ELEMENTARY SCH A #37924 Eastern Region, Cary	09:10AM	08:00AM
KITTY HAWK ELE SCH #2791 Coastal Region, Kitty Hawk	09:30AM	08:20AM
<i>Break</i>	<i>09:50AM</i>	
CAROLINA DAY SCHOOL #2792 Western Region, Asheville	10:10AM	12:20PM
WESTCHESTER COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL #37330 Northern Region, High Point	10:30AM	01:40PM
ENGLEWOOD ELE SCH #2008 Coastal Region, Rocky Mount	10:50AM	02:20PM
SWANSBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL #33108 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	11:10AM	08:40AM
PARKER ACADEMIC CENTER B #48972 Central Region, Charlotte	11:30AM	01:00PM
EVERGREEN COMM CHARTER SCH #38185 Western Region, Asheville	11:50AM	02:00PM
<i>Lunch</i>	<i>12:10PM</i>	
D.F. WALKER ELEMENTARY SCH #5484 Coastal Region, Edenton	12:50PM	09:40AM

The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!! Division I (Continued)

	<i>High School Media Center</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
MEADOWLARK ELE SCH #35721 Northern Region, Winston Salem	01:10PM	09:00AM
THE FRANCISCAN SCH #34187 Eastern Region, Raleigh	01:30PM	11:00AM
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB THE PLATEAU #48693 Western Region, Cashiers	01:50PM	12:00PM
IRWIN ACADEMIC CENTER #3704 Central Region, Charlotte	02:10PM	10:20AM

The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!! Division II

	<i>High School Auditorium</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
SEDGEFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL #14277 Central Region, Charlotte	08:00AM	09:40AM
SWANSBORO MID SCH #23488 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	08:20AM	12:00PM
FERNLEAF COMMUNITY CHARTER SCH #48783 Western Region, fletcher	08:40AM	11:00AM
NORTHWEST GUILFORD KIWANIS A #48448 Northern Region, Greensboro	09:00AM	10:20AM
CAROLINA DAY SCHOOL #2792 Western Region, Asheville	09:20AM	10:40AM
Break	09:40AM	
MANTEO MIDDLE SCHOOL #4225 Coastal Region, Manteo	10:00AM	09:00AM
RANDOLPH MIDDLE SCHOOL #15373 Central Region, Charlotte	10:20AM	12:20PM
NEW BRIDGE MID SCH #32457 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	10:40AM	08:40AM
CARNAGE MAGNET MIDDLE SCHOOL #4214 Eastern Region, Raleigh	11:00AM	12:40PM
PIEDMONT IB MID SCH #4229 Central Region, Charlotte	11:20AM	08:20AM
BRAWLEY IB #1982 Northern Region, Mooresville	11:40AM	01:00PM
Lunch	12:00PM	

The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!! Division II (Continued)

	<i>High School Auditorium</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
MILLS PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL #40001 Eastern Region, Cary	12:40PM	10:00AM
TRIANGLE DAY SCHOOL #43021 Eastern Region, Durham	01:00PM	08:00AM

The Most Dramatic Problem Ever!!! Division III

	<i>High School Auditorium</i>	<i>High School</i>
Member	Long-term Time	Spontaneous Time
MYERS PARK HIGH SCHOOL #12306 Central Region, Charlotte	01:20PM	08:00AM
ALLSMILES DENTALCARE #49422 Eastern Region, Durham	01:40PM	09:00AM
CUTHBERTSON HIGH SCHOOL #42134 Central Region, Waxhaw	02:00PM	08:40AM
Break	02:20PM	
SOUTH IREDELL HIGH #37670 Northern Region, Statesville	02:40PM	10:00AM
WILLIAM A. HOUGH HS #47469 Central Region, Cornelius	03:00PM	09:40AM
SWANSBORO H S #44050 Coastal Region, Jacksonville	03:20PM	08:20AM

Special Awards & Scholarships

Ranatra Fusca Creativity Award

This award represents the essence of Odyssey of the Mind. It is presented to teams or individuals who exhibit exceptional creativity, either through some aspect of their problem solution, or an extraordinary idea beyond the problem solution. A successful problem solution is not a criterion for winning the award; rather, the award is a way to acknowledge and encourage creative thinking and risk-taking. Ranatra Fusca is the term for a classification of water insect. Although this may seem a remote association to creative thinking, the name has a special meaning in Odyssey of the Mind. The Odyssey of the Mind was born from a college class taught by its founder, Dr. Sam Micklus. He assigned students to create a flotation device to transport them across a pond. One student designed a water strider-like contraption. The device did not solve the problem because of its inability to maintain proper balance; however, if given the time and opportunity to “go back to the drawing board,” the student would have been able to correct this and cross the pond. Even though the device did not work properly, the idea was exceptionally creative.

Teams that earn a Ranatra Fusca Creativity Award at the State competition are eligible to advance to World Finals. If an individual is awarded a Ranatra Fusca, the entire team advances.

OMER’s Award

This award is named for the Odyssey of the Mind raccoon mascot, OMER, in recognition of individuals or teams who demonstrate outstanding sportsmanship, exemplary behavior, or exceptional talent. Recipients of this award may be coaches, team members, parents, officials, or anyone else that tournament officials or directors feel exhibit these traits. This award is not intended to reward creativity.

Anyone can inform a tournament official of a possible OMER’s Award candidate. A panel of NCOM officials reviews each nomination and determines if that person should receive the award.

2023 NCOM Lester and Athelene Carter Scholarship

In recognition of over 30 years of faithful service to the Odyssey of the Mind program and NCOM. (co-sponsored by NCOM and donations)

2023 NCOM Susan Lawson Memorial Scholarship

Susan Lawson was a long-time educator, regional director, state board member, state problem captain, coach, mentor, and guiding light for Odyssey of the Mind and NCOM. (co-sponsored by NCOM and donations)

2023 Susan C. Hultin Memorial Scholarship

Susan Hultin was an educator in the Charlotte Mecklenburg School System and a strong supporter of NCOM. (funded by a grant established by Susan’s family).

NCOM State Officials

Officers

Tom Bojanski – Association Director
Carolyn Braly – Vice Association Director
Allan Ross – Treasurer
Zoe Hansen Burnet – Secretary
Bart Austin – IT Manager

Central Region Reps

Mitzi Lynch – Region Director
Allan Ross – State Rep
Bart Austin – State Rep
Lyn Holt – State Rep
Doris Barahona-Burton – State Rep

Eastern Region Reps

Randy Burton – Region Director
Zoe Hansen Burnet – State Rep
Rita Welsh – State Rep
Tom Hansen – State Rep
Tom Bojanski – State Rep

Western Region Reps

Pam Norton – Region Director
Allen Ball – State Rep
Candyce Jackson – State Rep

Problem Captains

Carolyn Braly – Spontaneous
Aaron Smith/Debbie Lauria - Scoreroom
Tracy McIntyre - Primary
Randy Burton – Problem 1
Glenn Baron – Problem 2
Marj Moe – Problem 3
Glenn Sigmon – Problem 4
Pam Norton – Problem 5

Coastal Region Reps

Carolyn Braly – Region Director
Shawn Babner – State Rep
Dale McCallister – State Rep
Catherine Swayer – State Rep
Michael Elder – State Rep

Northern Region Reps

Nicole Adams – Region Director
Judy Huffman – State Rep
Jerry Lawson – State Rep

Advisory Board

Karen Austin
Jackie Burton
Athelene Carter
Lynda McGinty
Dick Raley

Special State Tournament Thanks!!

Lexie Groner – Wake County Schools
Liaison/Volunteer Coordinator
Andy Cordes – Sales/Campus Map
Gail Hemedinger & Bob Pecaut – Hat Contest
Pam Norton – NCOM Scholarships
Alison Donnelly – Team Group Hotel Rates

Marj Moe & Nicole Adams – T-Shirts
Carolyn Braly - Pins
Lizzie Fleming - Program
Bart Austin, Karen Austin, Mark Hindal –
Awards Ceremony

Pre-Awards Ceremony NCOM 2023 State Tournament Slideshow!



Coaches Only!

Please text pictures of your team's activities during the competition day.

Limit 6 photos/team, please.

We will use your photos in a slideshow presented during Pre-Awards.

Some photos may be selected to be displayed on the NCOM website!

Text to 704-534-4197

Deadline for submission is 12:30pm

Note: Texting the photos gives NCOM permission to use them for the slideshow, ncom.org, and other NCOM social media. Individual names will not be associated with pictures.

Thanks!!



NCOM STATE FINALS

HAT PARADE

Contest Categories

- ZANIEST
- BEST USE OF RECYCLABLE MATERIALS
- MOST ALIEN
- BEST IN SHOW



OFFICIAL RULES

- Contest is open to anyone who attends the 2023 NCOM State Finals Pre-Awards Ceremony. Team members, siblings, parents, coaches, and officials are encouraged to participate.
- Hat contests do NOT have outside assistance rules.
- One winner will be chosen in each category and the overall best hat will be awarded Best in Show.
- Hats may include special effects (lights, movement, etc.) but they must be safe for the wearer and the audience.
- All other rules not stated are governed by the 2023 Program Guide.