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Dear Math Team Coach:

Sigma Nu Delta, the St. Norbert College Math Club, will hold its Twenty-Seventh Annual High School Math Competition on Saturday, February 21, 2009. On behalf of Sigma Nu Delta, we would like to extend to you and your students the invitation to enter the competition. It will take place in Boyle and John Minahan Science Halls located on the college campus. Registration will begin at noon, and the awards ceremony will end at around 4:00 that afternoon.

Attached you will find rules for the competition and a registration form. If you would like to enter students in the competition, please complete and return the registration form, along with the entry fee of \$20 per team, by February 4, 2009. Although this is a team competition, individuals may enter for a fee of \$5 each. These individuals are eligible for all individual prizes but not for team prizes.

A more detailed schedule and map of St. Norbert College will be sent to those teams that have made registrations. St. Norbert Presidential Scholarships, valued at a minimum of \$9,000 each year for up to four years, will be awarded to qualifying finishers on the basis of this competition. Medals will be given to individual winners. In the case of a tie among the team winners, a tiebreaker will be implemented.

Checks should be made payable to Sigma Nu Delta. Please send registration form and payment to:

Sigma Nu Delta
c/o Dr. John Frohlinger
St. Norbert College
100 Grant Street
De Pere, WI 54115


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We look forward to seeing you and your students.

Contest Co-Chairs


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**TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL
SIGMA NU DELTA INVITATIONAL MATH COMPETITION
Saturday, February 21, 2009**

RULES

1. Each team consists of up to eight students. A team must have at least one sophomore or freshman and may not have more than four seniors. All team members must be attending the same school.
2. A school may enter more than one team.
3. No calculators, mathematical instruments (such as rulers, slide rules, etc.), notes or other reference materials will be permitted in the event rooms. Scratch paper will be provided.
4. There will be four individual events (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Advanced Math) and one team event (anything). Each member will participate in every event.
5. Talking during the individual events is not permitted. Use of cell phones is prohibited during the events.
6. During the team event, the entire team may work as a group on each problem, assign separate problems to individual group members, or do any combination of these two methods. Talking among team members is permitted only during the team event. Points earned in the team event will count only toward the team total and not toward the individual totals.
7. A team's score is the sum of all members' individual scores plus the team event score.
8. Ties between teams will be broken by first considering the first problem from the first individual event, next the first problem from the second event, and so on. In the case of a tie for individual scores, duplicate prizes will be awarded.
9. Several SNC Presidential Scholarships (minimum value of \$9,000 per year for up to four years) will be awarded to the top finishers, if they choose to attend St. Norbert College.
10. Individuals may enter without being part of a team. Participants so entering are eligible for all individual prizes, but not for team awards.



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**SIGMA NU DELTA INVITATIONAL MATH COMPETITION
REGISTRATION FORM (Please print)**

Name of School: _____

Name of Coach: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Number of teams: _____ Amount Enclosed: _____

Send completed registration form to:

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