



**Today’s Date: Tuesday, March 7, 2023**

**Deadlines:**

* **Wednesday, March 15, 2023**- [Advanced Purchase Spectator Wristbands](https://form.jotform.com/220059120369046) (see link and website for details). Wristbands are **required** to be worn by **all spectators** at all tournament events and will NOT be sold at Awards. You must purchase them prior to. Your team wristbands will be provided to you by your regional director. **Wristbands will be required to be worn at all times during the events. Please help us communicate this to your supporters and teams.**
* **Monday, March 20, 2023-** [**High School Graduating Senior- Sue Shanks’ Memorial Scholarship**](https://protect-us.mimecast.com/s/MT1bC1wkjNhME9PxiLNJB-?domain=forms.gle) **Application** is due. See website for details.
* **Monday, March 20, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.-** Is the deadline to submit [team photos](https://forms.gle/oU4HtgbPv8eEVCPK6) and [senior photos](https://forms.gle/pCzg8Ud2vzus2xGG9). We will use on our slideshow at Awards.
* **Tuesday, March 21, 2023**- Your challenge paperwork must be submitted online on the [Destination Imagination](https://www.destinationimagination.org/) Resource area (your tournament dashboard).  The appraisal team will begin to review it after March 21, 2023.
* **Wednesday, March 22, 2023-** Please begin to monitor the messaging system for possible messages from the appraisal team. They will **NOT** message you unless they need you to correct or clarify information. We ask you to begin monitoring the messaging system after March 21, 2023.

**Our office will be closed March 13-17, 2023. Visit our** [**website f**](https://texasdi.org/state-tournament)**or information and details regarding the tournament. Have a great spring break!**

**Items Updated to our Website:** Please visit our website for details.

* [UTA Parking Directions and Maps](https://texasdi.org/images/TX_Destination_Imagination_Parking_Map-_UTA_Lone_Star_Finals_-_2023.pdf)- clickable link
* [UTA Parking Pass](https://texasdi.org/images/TX_DI_Parking_pass_for_Lone_Star_Finals_2023.pdf)- Everyone parking at UTA must print a copy of the parking pass and place it on your vehicle’s dashboard. Parking without a pass will be charged for parking.
* **Onsite Sales**- We will have our Dime Store open on Friday at the MAC and Saturday at the University Center. Please check our website for prices and details.

**Up-coming Items Posted to Our Website:**

* **Lone Star Finals App**- We will have an app for you to download.
* **Onsite Registration Time Slots** (by district and in alpha order). Onsite registration is Friday only. We only have our registration volunteers for one night. Onsite registration is required. You will be picking up state merchandise at onsite registration, if applicable. An itemized receipt will be required. Please remember to contact your regional director in regards to regional t-shirts and pins. Our office will not distribute regional items.
* **Challenge Sites**- We will post this to our website soon.
* **Tournament Checklist**- a sample can be found on our website. We will send out the checklist soon.
* **UTA Food Options and Hours**
* **Award Ceremony Instructions**- bus drop off and instructions, parking, award seating, enter and exit plan.
* **Team Competition Schedule-** will be posted about one week prior to the tournament.
* **Senior Photos-** We will request photos soon (details will be posted to our website soon).
* **Silent Auction-** We have a committee that will be organizing a silent auction to raise money for our graduating senior scholarship. Please consider supporting our Silent Auction. More info will be posted to our website soon.

Please remember to visit our website for information and soon to be posted information. Join our social media sites for updates as well.

Thank you for your time and support! We are busy planning a great experience for all and we look forward to seeing you soon.

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