

October 15, 2018

Good morning, Advisers!

New W-9

With the change of our mailing address most districts will require a new W-9 for their files. If your district needs a copy of our W-9 with the new Oklahoma address, please forward a copy of the attached W-9 to your business office.

Blue Panda Guide

Attached is the Blue Panda Guide as a follow-up to the demos of our new state registration system from the Adviser Conferences. As you register for FLC, WLC, and SBLC, you'll find this guide a handy reference!

Award Sponsorships

If you or any others you know are interested in supporting our competitive event award sponsorship program, please review the link below. We are excited to accept all award sponsorships. Our goal is to have 100% sponsorship of all our competitive events at SBLC! Our members are worth it!

http://wafbla.org/Websites/washingtonfbla/images/Sponsorship%20Flyer%202018-19.pdf

BAA Adviser Video

Have you heard of the BAAs? They count for champion chapter points, are a great resume building activity for students, are aligned with curriculum standards, AND are a National Program! But how exactly do you register students for the BAAs? In this video tutorial, Ashley Lin, the state Parliamentarian, shares more information about the BAAs, and walks you through the registration process on the website. Register your members today! https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HuiTdE4ZFaA

State Officer Corner

<u>Chapter of the Month</u>. Is your chapter working hard on FBLA's mission and goals? Are your chapter members involved in a multitude of FBLA activities? Why not recognize all of their (and yours!) hard work by applying for our new program, Chapter of the Month? https://trileadership.wufoo.com/forms/wa-fbla-chapter-of-the-month-application/

<u>Member of the Month</u>. Recognize an outstanding leader from your chapter by nominating them for the Member of the Month initiative. This is a great way to encourage new members to be more involved within your chapter as well as motivate returning members to achieve this goal. Each Member of the Month recipient will be recognized at state! October nominees are due Saturday, October 20!

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<u>Elevate your Membership! Membership Campaign</u>. Participate in this year's membership campaign and get recognized at state for reaching new heights! The Universe level of the campaign would mean that you increased membership by 20%, the Galaxy level would mean that you increased membership by 10%, and achieving the solar system level would mean that you maintained the same membership as the previous year! Please post the attached flyer in your classroom for member involvement!

<u>Chapter Visits</u>. Create unity, lead members, and inspire your chapter to grow by requesting a chapter visit! A state officer within your region will attend your chapter meeting via person or video call to contribute ideas on growth, as well as other areas you may request. This is not only a good way to get to know your state officer team but also improve your chapter to be the best it can be! Request today by clicking this link:

https://trileadership.wufoo.com/forms/washington-fbla-chapter-visit-request-form/.

<u>Tips & Tricks Tuesdays Video</u>. In our most recent Tips & Tricks Tuesdays episode, members can learn what participating in the Business Achievement Awards looks like for them. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WFyB7Q7iF1c

Please describe BAAs to your chapter (if you haven't already) and do a couple of the "F" level activities; i.e., set 5 goals, play the FBLA Kahoot knowledge quiz, or text 5 friends and invite them to the next FBLA meeting. Earning the Business Achievement Awards are much easier than most members realize!!

Thank you for all you are doing to get your FBLA year off and running! We appreciate all of you! Have a great week!