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Sharing BoB Adventures



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Escambia County School District's BoB History

- BoB began as a collaborative effort created under the Escambia Reading Teachers' Association with Kim Gunn as the president of the association.
- **Oregon Battle of the Books** original guide used to implement BoB

<https://springvilleobob.wordpress.com/about-oregon-battle-of-the-books/>

First BoB held May 5, 2012

Double elimination battle rounds

Moderators read questions



**Left—Odd
Right--Even**

**Team Discussion
30 seconds elementary
15 seconds for middle**

Battle Officials

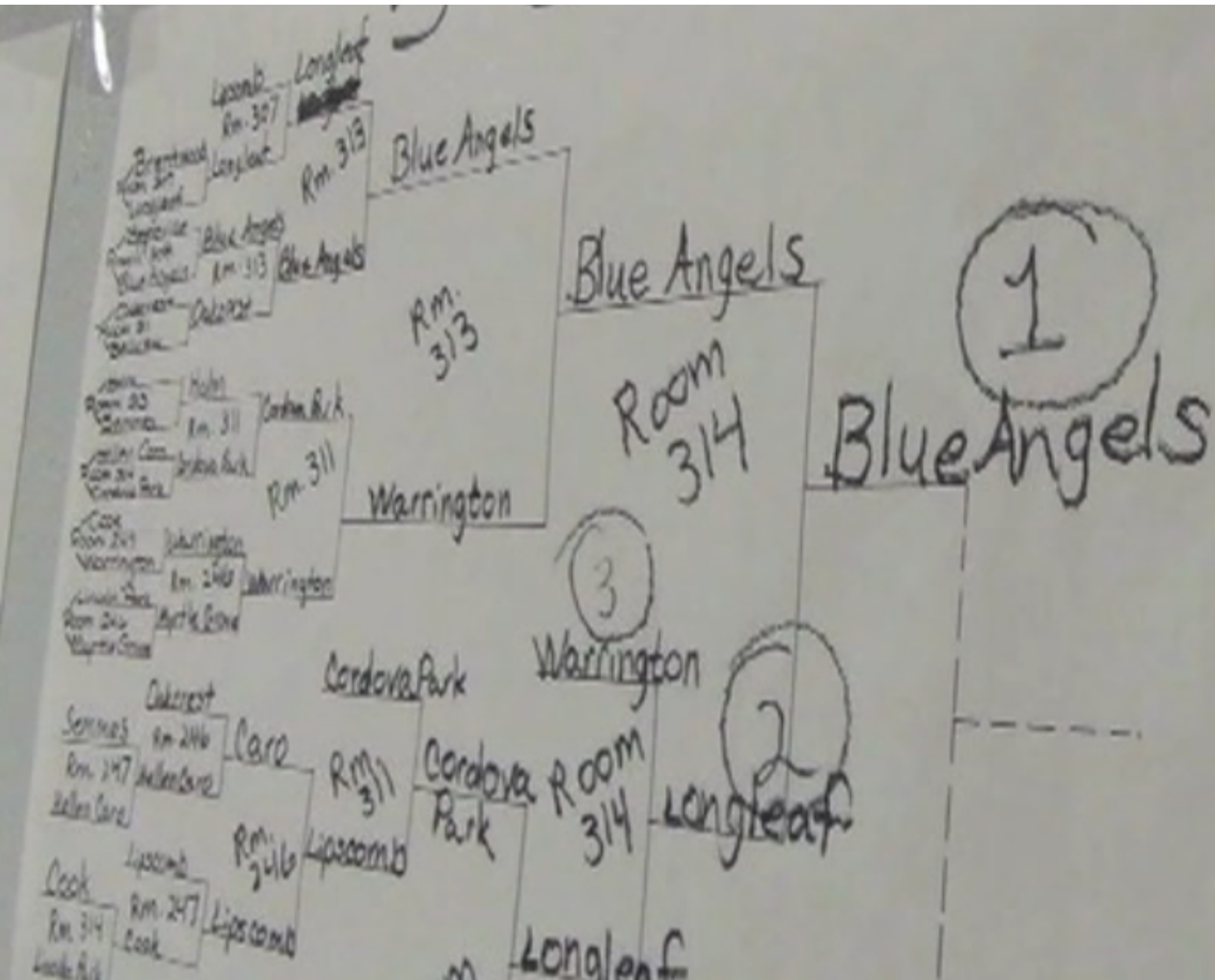
- ❖ Moderator
- Scorekeeper
- ✓ Timekeeper

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Question Categories

- 1. In which book and author**
- 2. Name of important character or significant nickname**
- 3. Important setting or location**
- 4. Comparison with another book(s) on the list**
- 5. Why and How**
- 6. Definition of a unique term or important words**
- 7. Quotation directly from the book**
- 8. Cause and Effect**

Format 2012-2014



2015 –Written Format Change

Multiple choice questions with spelling of author and titles



Teams read their own questions

2015 --Written Format Change

16 Minutes per rounds

Total of five rounds of questions.



2016-2017

Multiple choice questions with spelling of author and titles

12 Minutes per round

Total of five rounds of questions.



2018

All questions multiple choice

12 Minutes per rounds

Total of five rounds of questions.



2018

Escambia County School Librarian Association

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Lessons Learned



Table 1

Table 2

Table 3

Table 4

Table 5

Table 6

FRONT OF GYM

Table 7

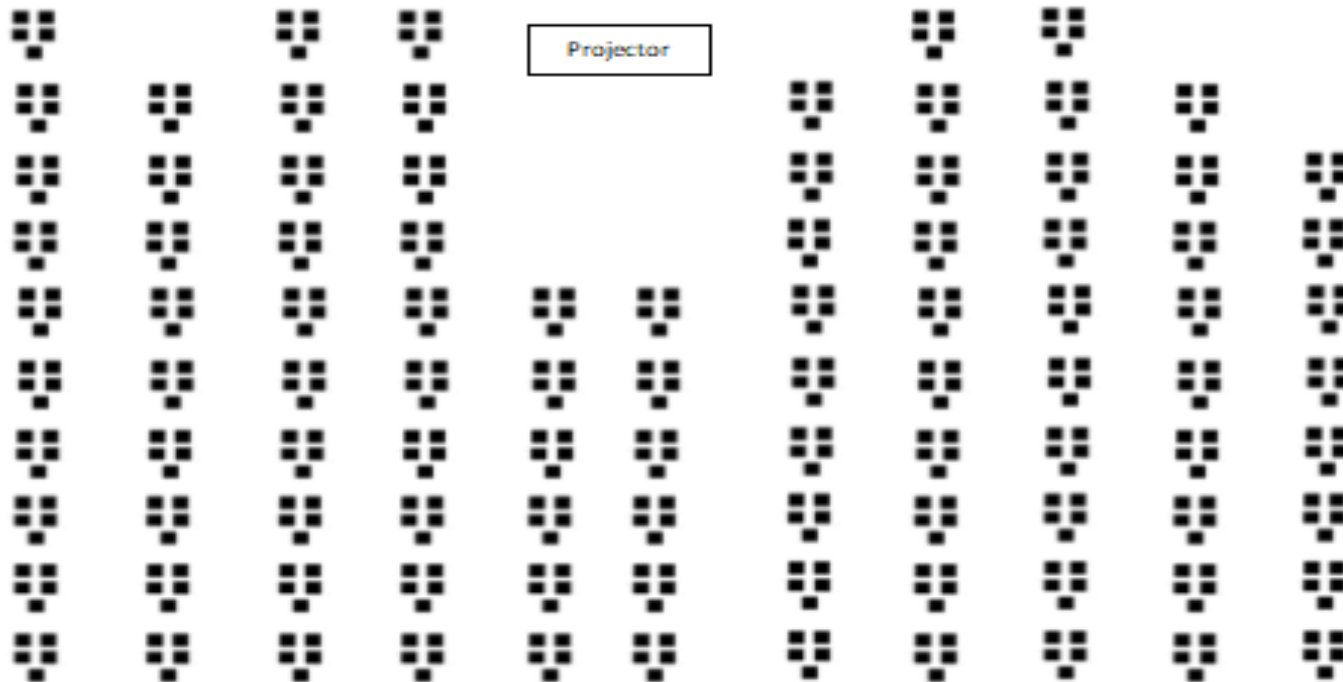
Table 8

Screen

Battle participant chair setup will be 11 rows across. The chairs need to be setup in groups of five in a U

Row 1	Row 2	Row 3	Row 4	Row 5	Row 6	Row 7	Row 8	Row 9	Row 10	Row 11
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Left side bleachers will be out.



Right side bleachers will be out.

BoB Organization

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- All grade levels compete in gym
- Gym divided into areas
- Signage used for area labels
- Spread Sheet used to tabulate scores
- Score tabulator used to collect score information



BoB Organization



- **Third grade list consist of eight titles**
- 4th-12th grade list consist of fifteen titles
- SSYRA and Florida Teens Read titles use
- One time keeper

BoB Preparation



COST

- Trophies and medals
- Janitors

Supplies for Questions

- Paper supplies, paper clips, large envelopes, Avery labels

Additional Information

<https://ecsd-fl.schoolloop.com/BoB>

District Battle of the Books Google Classroom
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