Salvete Omnes!

Welcome to another great year of CAJCL! We are thrilled to be hosting the 68th California State Convention at Miramonte High School from March 31th to April 1st, 2023. Here is some vital information.

1. **Registration** is similar to last year.
   a. **Sponsors** must first register their schools and then enter information about both the delegates and adults attending into a Google Sheet sent no later than February 18. The Google Sheet will be sent to schools once they have registered on the CAJCL database. If you need help accessing the CAJCL database, please email Matt Davis (statechair@cajcl.org).
   b. **Delegates** must fill out waivers and medical forms and give to their sponsors to mail to Miramonte JCL. (*Nota bene:* We have included student activity sheets for the sponsor to use with their students.)
   c. **Adults** (SCL, chaperones, sponsors) must fill out the medical and waiver and mail to Miramonte JCL.
2. Read the **White Booklet** with all rules before entering competitions.
3. Read the **Blue Booklet** for schedules, new activities including building an Aqueduct, Vindolanda Tablets, Nationals Info Lunch, and a National Banner Contest as well as familiar Ludi events including Agora (Bazaar), Bubble Soccer (requires waiver to be brought to Convention), Carpe Amicum, Edible Mosaics, Karaoke, Kahoot (Classical and Harry Potter), Laser Tag, Project Runway, Open Certamen, Roman Rap Battle, Speed Dating, Taberna (Casino), That's Entertainment, Venatio (Scavenger Hunt), Cookie Decorating, and more. The colloquia list will follow later.
4. **Competition categories** are small, medium, and large for middle school as usual, and small, medium, large and extra large for high school.
5. **Chapter Contests** will be in the following categories: banners, scrapbooks, and publicity. Delegations should enter in only one contest each.
6. **Publicity** instructions can be found in the White Booklet.
7. **Sweepstake Points** will be earned from participation in different activities, competitions, etc.
8. The **convention theme** is "Caelum non animum, mutant qui trans mare current." - "They who rush across the sea change their sky, not their soul" (Horace, Epistles 1.11)

In addition to this cover letter, please access all the following items which are found on the CAJCL website (cajcl.org).
1. Blue Book (All the registration, activity, schedule information about Convention)
2. White Book (All the rules and regulations for Convention contests)
3. Student Activity Sheet
4. Medical Form
5. CAJCL Waiver
6. CAJCL Scholarship Application
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7. CAJCL Parliamentarian Letter
8. CAJCL Candidate for Office Form
9. Hotel Listings

Finally, these are the items that must be postmarked by February 18 to Matthew Davis, Miramonte High School, 750 Moraga Way, Orinda 94563:

1. Alphabetical List of Students
2. Check made out to Miramonte High School for $130 per student and $65 for each adult above the 1:10 ratio.
3. Student Medical Forms (arranged alphabetically)
4. Student Waivers (arranged alphabetically)
5. Adult Medical Forms (arranged alphabetically)
6. Adult Waivers (arranged alphabetically)

To see updates on convention, be sure to go to cajcl.org. We can’t wait to see you in the spring!

Ex cordibus,

Megan Chui and Jessica Milmoe
Co-Convention Presidents 2022-2023