

TO: Junior High Knowledge Bowl Advisors  
 FROM: Kirsten Kuehl  
 RE: Sub-Regional Knowledge Bowl  
 DATE: November 21, 2013



Sub-Regionals will be held the week after everyone returns to school after the holiday break. Please refer to the list below to see when your school is scheduled. Also, be sure that the number of teams listed for your school is correct.

DATES: Tuesday, January 7, 2014 – Tier A  
 Wednesday, January 8, 2014 – Tier AA

LOCATION: Rochester Community and Technical College - Heintz Center  
 1926 Collegeview Drive SE, Rochester  
 Drop off at the east side (door H10). This door is closest to 4<sup>th</sup> Street SE. Map is attached.

PARKING: Buses may park in the EAST lot.

START TIME: 8:30 am (we will begin promptly)  
 (Check in before 8:30.)

END TIME: Approximately 2:00 pm

FORMAT: 1 written round (60 questions) and 4 oral rounds (45 questions each)  
 The top 12 teams will advance to their tier's Regional (Tier A: 1/13/2014, Tier AA: 1/14/2014).

LUNCH: **Bring your own. Please remind your students!**  
 Please...do not plan on ordering food and having it delivered or picking it up. Time will be very limited. Coffee and bottled water will be available for adults. Students can purchase pop or other drinks from machines or bring their own.

EXTRA ADULTS: Please bring any extra adults you can. Schools with more than 3 teams **must**. It is to everyone's benefit to have 2 adults in each room, especially at this competition level.

The teams are set (frozen) at Sub-Regionals. Teams advancing to Regional must be comprised of the same students—6 students maximum/team. If you have "extra" students that aren't assigned to a team, feel free to bring them to serve as a pocket box operator.

Regionals will be held at the Clarion Inn – Hotel and Meeting Center in Rochester (16<sup>th</sup> Street & South Broadway). Teams cannot bring in outside food, and will need to pay \$5 per person for a sandwich buffet (including cocktail sandwiches, pasta salad, potato chips, fruit, and water). Please keep this in mind as you look ahead at this possibility for your team(s).

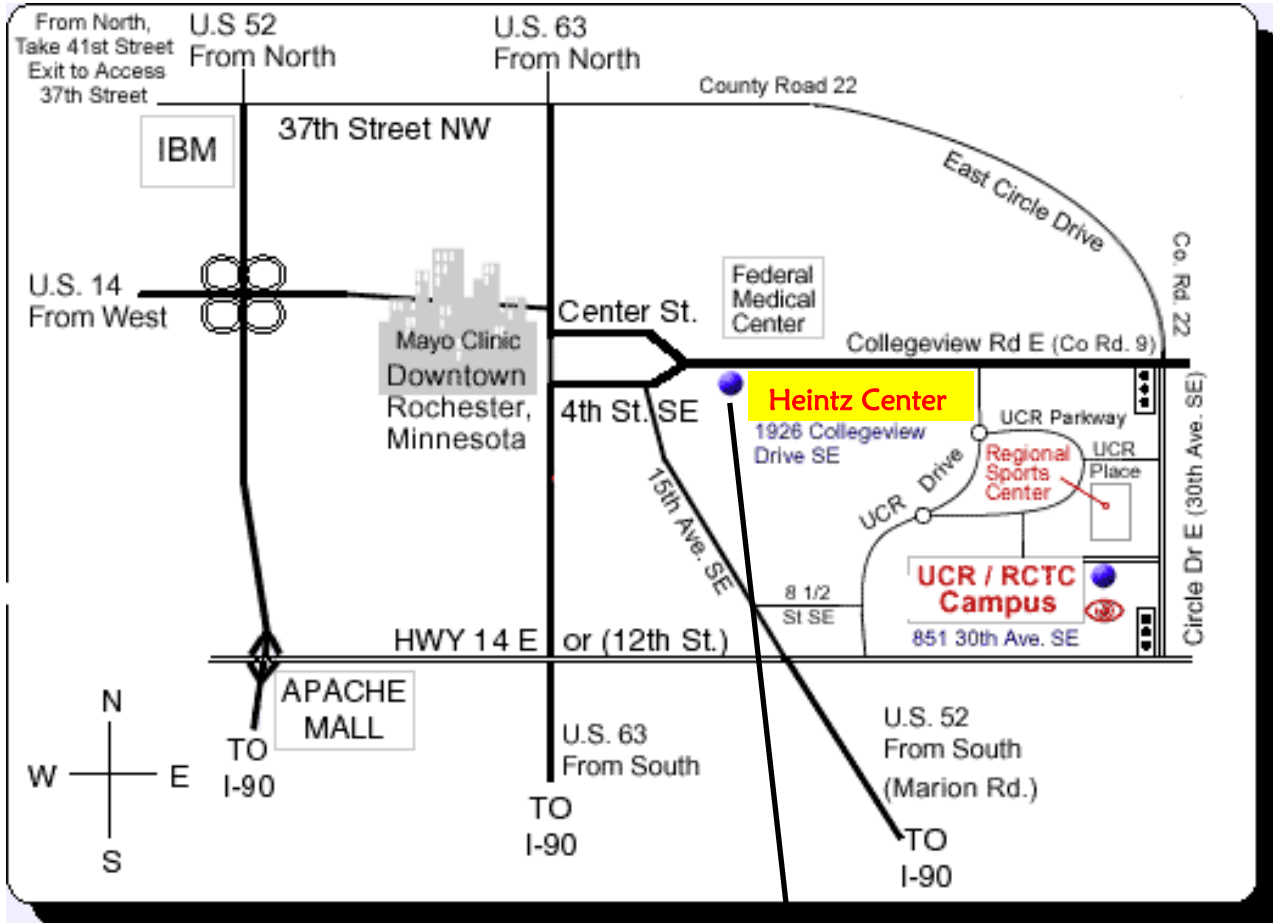
If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know. To contact me the day of the event my cell phone number is 507-259-6810. See you at Sub-Regionals!

Kirsten

**Kirsten Kuehl, Southeast Service Cooperative**

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Tier A – January 7, 2014 <i>25 teams (9 competition rooms)</i>		Tier AA – January 8, 2014 <i>25 teams (9 competition rooms)</i>	
SCHOOL	# OF TEAMS	SCHOOL	# OF TEAMS
Caledonia	1	Chatfield	4
Fillmore Central	2	Dover-Eyota	2
Goodhue	1	Kasson-Mantorville	6
Grand Meadow	2	Kenyon-Wanamingo	3
Houston	3	Pine Island	3
Kingsland	2	Plainview-Elgin-Millville	3
Lanesboro	3	Red Wing	4
Mabel-Canton	2		
Rushford-Peterson	4		
Southland	2		
Spring Grove	3		



## DRIVING DIRECTIONS

### To Rochester Community & Technical College

Heintz Center- 1926 Collegeview Drive SE, Rochester

#### **HWY 52 Southbound:**

Exit at 41st STREET exit to access 37th STREET NW (turns into East Circle Drive and County Road 22) and travel east through the intersection of US 63. Before the County Road 9 intersection (stop light), merge right onto Country Road 9 (College View Road). Take a left (past Fuad Mansour Soccer Complex) into the east parking lot of Heintz Center (enter in Door H10).

#### **HWY 63 Southbound:**

Exit (left) at 37th STREET NW (turns into East Circle Drive and County Road 22). Follow the directions outlined above.

#### **HWY 63 Northbound:**

Exit at HWY 14 East (also known as 12th Street) and travel east. Turn left at 15th Avenue SE/Marion Road intersection. Follow 15th Avenue to 4th Street and turn right onto 4th street. Continue past the 4-way stop. Turn at the first right into the east parking lot of Heintz Center (past RCTC building) and enter in Door H10).

#### **I-90:**

Exit at HWY 63 North and follow instructions above.

#### **HWY 14 Westbound or Eastbound:**

Exit at County Road 22 (30th Avenue) and follow to County Road 9 intersection. Turn left onto Country Road 9 (College View Road). Take a left (past Fuad Mansour Soccer Complex) into the east parking lot of Heintz Center (enter in Door H10).