

# CALIFORNIA SCHOOL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## Book Cart Drill Team Competition

*Sponsored by DEMCO*

Thursday, November 19, 2009 • 7:30pm – 8:30pm

Ontario Convention Center • Ontario, CA

### Rules and Regulations

1. Teams may be as large as groups want. CSLA will attempt to schedule the large teams between small teams to make a sufficient number of carts available. DEMCO will provide book carts for the teams to use during the event.
2. All teams must check into the contest no later than 6:00pm to receive their performance time assignment. They will also be scheduled for a practice time between 1:00pm and 4:30pm at a time to be determined.
3. All teams must advise CSLA of the name of the team captain to whom correspondence from CSLA may be directed. The captain will be the spokesperson for the team.
4. Each team must advise CSLA by September 25, 2009 if recorded music is required for their performance. If the entry application is submitted after September 25, the requirements for music must be included with the application.
5. Awards will be awarded to the first, second, and third place teams. Judges, at their discretion, may award honorable mention ribbons to teams who, in their opinion, are deserving of this award.
6. Decisions of judges are final.
7. Judging will be based on two criteria:
  - Technical Ability – organization, precision, unique moves, timeliness
  - Artistic Impression – overall performance, music, costumes, cart décor
8. Each team will be allotted five minutes in which to decorate their book carts prior to their performance. One end panel of each cart shall remain undecorated in order to display the DEMCO Centennial logo. For reference, the supplied book carts will be DEMCO product 800344 shown at [www.demco.com](http://www.demco.com).
9. Each routine may last no more than 4 minutes. If the team exceeds the 4-minute time limit, .05 points for each 10 seconds greater than the 4 minutes will be deducted from the Technical Ability score.
10. Cost of entry is \$50 for commercial teams. This fee must be paid at time of entry. Non-commercial teams composed of CSLA members will not require a fee but do need to register to participate. This fee can be paid by check or credit card (VISA, MasterCard).
11. Questions should be directed to Yvonne Weinstein, Book Cart Drill Team Chair at [mrsweinstein@fastmail.fm](mailto:mrsweinstein@fastmail.fm) or Carolyn Tienken CMP, CSLA Conference & Exhibits Manager at [carolynt@csla.net](mailto:carolynt@csla.net) or (916) 447-2684.
12. This event or part of this event may be televised. Team members may be required to sign a release; however, this is not mandatory. If the team wishes not to be televised, CSLA will make sure that it will not be televised.
13. CSLA may videotape this event for archival purposes only.
14. CSLA or DEMCO cannot be responsible for injury or damage to person or property incurred during performance. Teams agree that it will indemnify and hold harmless of, from and against all claims, demands, actions damages, loss, cost, liabilities, expenses and judgments recovered from or asserted against CSLA on account of injury or damage to property.
15. Any and all matters not specifically covered by the preceding rules and regulations shall be subject solely to the decision of CSLA. CSLA shall have the full power to interpret, amend, and enforce these regulations provided any amendments, when made are brought to the notice of the participants. Each participant agrees to abide by the forgoing rules and regulations and by any amendments or additions thereto in conformance with the preceding sentence.
16. The team captain must sign and return one copy of these rules to CSLA Conference 2009 prior to the contest. Mail a signed copy to Carolyn Tienken CMP, CSLA Conference & Exhibits Manager, 950 Glenn Drive, Suite 150, Folsom, CA 95630.

The Book Cart Drill Team representing the \_\_\_\_\_ agrees to abide by the above rules of the contest.

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(Team Captain)