

Dear Judge,

Thank you for registering as a judge for the 2012 PJAS Region 7 Competition. Your contribution is GREATLY appreciated. The Competition is being held on **Saturday, February 4, 2012 at Keystone Oaks High School**, located on McNeilly Road.

Your judging assignment(s) will be posted online at www.pjasregion7.com/judges.html around Monday, January 16, 2012. Morning Unit Numbers are less than 100. Afternoon Unit Numbers are 101 and greater.

For judges with morning unit assignments, the morning registration will be held inside the middle school in the theater lobby. The Registration Desk will be open at **7:00 AM**. Orientation begins at **7:50 AM** in the cafeteria just behind the judges' registration desk. The morning session is slated to begin at **8:30 AM** and typically concludes by **11:30 AM**.

For judges with afternoon unit assignments, the afternoon registration and orientation will be held in the same place as the morning registration. The afternoon registration begins at **11:30 AM**. Orientation will follow at **12:15 PM**. The afternoon session begins at **1:00 PM** and typically concludes by **4:00 PM**.

Lunch will be provided at no cost for judges from **11:00 AM – 1:00 PM**. If you are interested in lunch, you will need to get a ticket when you register at the competition.

The PJAS State Competition will be held at Penn State University, University Park (Main) Campus on **Monday, May 14, 2012**. If you selected either "Yes - I am interested." or "Not Sure – Please contact me later.", you can expect to receive an email when Judges Registration opens for the State Competition.

Finally, in preparation for the competition, please take a few moments to download and review our *Criteria for Judging Presentations* document, also located at www.pjasregion7.com/judges.html. If you have any questions, you can reply to this email or give me a call at 412-835-0600.

Thank you for supporting our young scientists! See you on the 4th!

-Dori Lijewski
PJAS Region 7 Judging Chair