



Get Ready to Battle!

Form teams...Read books...
Battle to become the Inza R. Wood Middle School
champions!

What is Oregon Battle of the Books (OBOB)?

O-BOB is an exciting tournament of reading and trivia. Students form teams and collectively read a list of 16 books. They'll battle other Wood Middle School teams in head-to-head trivia competitions based on the information in those books. Our champions go on to compete with schools in Clackamas and Wasco counties. The top winners at Regionals go to State.

How do I form a team?

- You may assemble your own team of 1-5 members (though no more than 4 may battle together). Individuals may register and our coordinator will contact you about forming a team of other interested individuals.
- Students must be in grades 6, 7, or 8, and may be mixed grade-levels within a team.
- **Each team needs at least one adult volunteer to be the coach.**
- Turn in your team registration form to obobatwood@gmail.com or the OBOB basket in the library by Friday, November 16, 2018.

2018-2019 OBOB Division 6-8 Book Titles

- **Absolutely Truly** by Heather Vogel Frederick
- **Avenging the Owl** by Melissa Hart
- **The Body in the Woods** by April Henry
- **Cryptid Hunters** by Roland Smith
- **Dolls Bones** by Holly Black
- **The Gauntlet** by Karuna Riazi
- **Ghost** by Jason Reynolds
- **I Will Always Write Back** by Caitlin Alifirenka & Martin Ganda
- **The Luck Uglies** by Paul Durham
- **My Seventh-Grade Life in Tights** by Brooks Benjamin
- **Restart** by Gordon Korman
- **Revenge of the Witch** by Joseph Delaney
- **Small as an Elephant** by Jennifer Richard Jacobson
- **The Sword of Summer** by Rick Riordan
- **The Wishing Spell** by Chris Colfer
- **Wolf Hollow** by Lauren Wolk

Dates to know:

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| Oct 18, 2018 | 6-7 pm OBOB Information Meeting in the school library for all parents, coaches, students. |
| Nov 16, 2018 | Last day to register a team by 3:45pm |
| Dec 7, 2018 | Last day to submit hi-res team picture for the poster |
| Feb TBD, 2019 | Wood Middle School tournament begins (dates will be emailed) |
| Mar TBD, 2019 | Region 4 Southwest Tournament - Host School to be determined |
| Apr 6, 2019 | State Tournament at Chemeketa Community College, Salem
Official OBOB website: oregonbattleofthebooks.org |

For more details on participation, coaching, and registration please see our OBOB webpage: www.woodmiddleschoolpta.org/obob.html
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