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2009-2010 WHSSPA Newspaper/News Magazine Submission

School newspapers/magazines must be mailed to Dawn Knudsvig, Arvada-Clearmont High School, PO Box 125, 1601 Meade Ave., Clearmont, WY 82835-0125 by **June 18, 2010**.

Papers along with newspaper submission form and rubric will then be forwarded to the newspaper judge for evaluation. Individual article entries should be identified by category by using the form for each article. Please print and complete a form each article entered.

THE **WHSSPA MEMBERSHIP DUES FORM** was not mailed to your principal. This form can be found on the WHSSPA.org site. Please get together with your principal regarding the completion of the attached WHSSPA MEMBERSHIP DUES and ENTRY FEES FORMS. **Do not mail the dues for WHSSPA to WHSAA**—This needs to be mailed to the Treasurer—see Form. Do Mail the Entry Fees Form to WHSAA—see form. Both forms need to be submitted with payment **no later than September 10, 2010**.

The fee for the newspaper critique, which presumes completion of the judging form with annotations on the paper is \$30. Three consecutive copies of your school paper should be submitted for competition. An additional \$3 is required for each article submitted for up to 5 entries per category. WHSSPA school dues are \$40. **(THIS FEE IS NOT PART OF THE WHSAA MEMBERSHIP FEE FOR JOURNALISM.)**

Please submit newspaper/magazine submission sheet and rubric with your newspaper/magazine. **FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM COMPETITION.**

The WHSSPA Newspaper/Magazine Rubric and submission forms will be used by the judge. Under no circumstances will this rule be waived.

******YOUR NEWSPAPER WILL NOT BE JUDGED IN COMPETITION UNLESS IT IS RECEIVED BY June 18, 2010. It may be critiqued if received late, but return by convention time cannot be guaranteed.**

Please be advised that schools that have newspapers, yearbooks, broadcasts, and literary/fine arts magazines judged must indicate their intention to participate in journalism by having your Activities Director mark journalism on the 2010/11 WHSAA Membership Form. Schools that do not indicate their intention to participate in journalism will not be able to have their

yearbooks and newspaper judged.

If newspapers, individual submissions and judging evaluations are not picked up at the state convention Tuesday morning, schools should arrange for their return. WHSSPA will not be responsible for postage and mailers required for returning entries.

Eligibility for fine-arts, leadership, and vocational WHSAA sponsored activities shall be governed by Rule 6.2.0 (Scholarship Rule) and Rule 6.5.0 (Semester Requirement Rule.)