



Northeast Indiana Regional Science & Engineering Fair

Saturday, March 3, 2018

IPFW: Walb International Ballroom: 4th and 5th Grade
Walb Classic Ballroom: 6th –12th Grade

**Want to sleep later on Saturday morning?
We offer FRIDAY display set-up & inspection from 4-5:30 PM**

Parents: Please check display rules on the Fair website for prohibited items prior to set up for the Regional Fair. NEIRSEF website: www.neirsef.org

Regional Fair Schedule

Friday, March 2

4:00 – 5:30 PM	EARLY DISPLAY SET-UP AND INSPECTION for those who prefer to set up displays on Friday night instead of Saturday morning. We encourage Friday setup as it is less stressful for the student.
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Saturday, March 3

7:45 – 8:30 AM	Student arrival for those who need to complete display set-up & inspection. If display was set-up & inspected on Friday, the student does not need to arrive until 8:40 AM
8:45 AM	ALL students seated at their display and parents proceed to seated locations
8:50 – 9:00 AM	Opening welcome to parents and students: International Ballroom: 4th and 5th Grade; Walb Classic Ballroom: 6th-12th grade.
9:00 – Break	Judging: Round One Judges & participants only allowed in display area. During this phase of judging, the grade (elementary), category (junior/senior) and special award judges visit as many student displays as possible before a mid-morning break.
10:30 – 10:50 AM (approximately)	Morning break – Students may visit with parents, restroom, get a snack but must stay in close vicinity for being called back to their display location. A time to return will be announced.
11:00 – Noon	Judging: Round Two Judging continues as needed for students not yet released. ALL REMAINING CHILDREN WILL BE RELEASED BY NOON.
12:00—12:30 ALL 4TH & 5TH GRADE DISPLAYS REMOVED BY 12:30	PUBLIC DISPLAY AND DISPLAY REMOVAL: Parents and students may visit displays from noon to 12:30. The 4th and 5th grade displays <u>must be removed</u> no later than 12:30. This will be the only public display time for projects. 6th-12th grade displays should remain in the Classic Ballroom until right before the award ceremony for judges to re-visit during their final deliberations. PARENTS OR OTHER ADULTS IN CHARGE MUST BE THERE TO RETRIEVE THEIR CHILD BY NOON AS THERE IS NO SUPERVISION AVAILABLE.
12:40 – 3:15 PM	BOTH BALLROOMS CLOSED
3:15 – 3:45 PM	6TH-12TH GRADE PROJECT DISPLAYS REMOVED FROM CLASSIC BALLROOM
4:00-5:15 pm	ALL GRADES/DIVISIONS; AWARD CEREMONY: International Ballroom