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2023 OHIO FBLA-PBL STATE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE COLUMBUS, OH: FEBRUARY 23-24 BUSINESS SESSION II

# Session Agenda Thursday, February 23, 2023, 6:30pm Doors Open: 6:00pm

#### MUSIC VIDEO COUNTDOWN & CONFERENCE INTRO 10

30 MIN PRIOR TO SHOW		DEFAULT	
WALK IN MUSIC			
15 MIN PRIOR TO SHOW		FS: MUSIC VIDEOS	Music Videos
VT: 5 MIN 'TIL SHOWTIME	HOUSE LIGHTS 5%		5 Min (built-in) – 00:05:14 – 00:05:01
VT: 1 MIN 'TIL SHOWTIME	HOUSE LIGHTS 5%		– 00:03:08 – 00:00:17 1 Min (built-in) – 00:01:16 – 00:01:03
(END OF 1 MINUTE COUNTDOW N)	LITE TRANS.		10 sec (Built-in) – 00:00:17 – 00:00:00
KEEP VT UP	HOUSE 0%	FS: INTRO VIDEO	

#### **SESSION INTRODUCTION**

		FS: OHIO FBLA-PBL	ANNOUNCER
MUSIC:			Members, we have had a great
			conference so far. Let's welcome back to
			the stage the leaders of Ohio FBLA who
			have helped you see that the sky's the
			limit!
	STAGE WASH UP		Your 2022-2023 state officer team!
		FS: STATE OFFICER TEAM	Officer team enters the stage as a group. As soon as they have formed a line on stage, continue announcer.
			Your State officers welcome you to the
			second business session and thank you
			for participating in this year's State
			Leadership Conference!
			Officers wave and exit SR.
			Tani comes to the podium.
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#### **OPENING REMARKS** 30

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PODIUM	LAVALIER, NO	NAMEBAR	<u>Jesus</u>
MUSIC FADES OUT	PODIUM		Our conference today has revolved
			around one simple motto: "The Sky's
			the Limit." Throughout the day, we've
			looked back on the chapters that have
			built up our great organization,
			witnessed the testimonials and memories
			of members throughout the years, and
			met some of the great leaders that have
			brought us to where we are today.
			Tonight, we urge you to reflect on the
			history that was all around you
			throughout the day. Regardless of our
			past success, know that the future is
			boundless, and each step in the positive
			direction will carry you to new heights.
			Despite the obstacles in your way,
			remember that you are on the right path

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		to success and your persistence will
		propel you to the finish line.
		Ohio FBLA, I would like to congratulate
		you for all you that have achieved and
		that you will continue to achieve in your
		future!
		Jenny to Podium

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PODIUM	PODIUM	NAMEBAR	<u>Jenny</u>
NO MUSIC			FBLA thrives on preparing students to
			become future business leaders. This
			legacy that Ohio FBLA has built would
			not have been possible without the
			mentors and advisors that steer our
			students in the right direction. It is with
			the support and dedication of these
			mentors that our students have the
			ability and the opportunity to compete in
			competitive events and attend
			conferences like the one we are
			attending today. Mentors are meant to
			empower and that is exactly what Nell
			Rapport from Thomas W. Harvey High
			School has done for her students. Ms.
			Rapport started the Thomas W. Harvey
			chapter _ years ago and since then, has
			devoted her time to guiding each of her

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students to success. She has been able to send her FBLA students to highly selective summer programs at some of the nation's most prestigious universities such as Yale University and Cornell University. Like her, every advisor, mentor, and teacher in attendance tonight have made a lasting impact on their students' lives.

#### Lead Applause

Thank you, teachers, and advisers for all you have done for our organization and its members!

Riya to Podium

PODIUM	PODIUM	NAMEBAR	ELLE
			Tonight we would like to thank a very
			special group who has donated their
			time and energy to make this SLC
			experience one of a kind. Without these
			people, the legacy Ohio FBLA carries
			would not have been made possible. Our
			volunteers from across the country have
			helped our organization by supporting
			this year's SLC. We are so fortunate to
			have their unyielding support and we
			truly appreciate it.
	STAGE WASH UP		As your name is called, please stand and
			continue to stand until all groups are
			called. Members and advisers, please
			hold your applause till the end.
		FS: BUMPER,	
			We begin with our Board of Directors.
			Would all Board members please rise?
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Music CONTINUES

We continue with our competitive events committee, Benjamin Young, Jayne West McLinn, and Jr. Carlton.

Next we'll recognize our volunteer conference staff and special guests, Lisa Smothers, Arrav Dagar, Melissa Stone, Kobey Simpson, Megan Fishwick, and Alan Rep/kow/ski...

And finally, our volunteer judges, honored guests, exhibitors, and sponsors, please all rise.

We are honored to have you here with us to celebrate Ohio FBLA and thankful to you for all of your hard work and efforts that have made this conference such a success!

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		(APPLAUD)
		Lead applause, Hamsa to the Podium

#### 75TH ANNIVERSARY REFLECTION

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PODIUM	NAMEBAR	<u>Hamsa</u>
		Before we continue with the events of
		the evening, let's all take a second to
		recognize the impact of Ohio FBLA.
		Over 50,000 students have sat in your
		very seats, participating in Ohio FBLA
		to become more community minded
		business leaders. These leaders have
		gone on to the biggest colleges, the most
		successful companies, and most
		importantly, left a lasting impact of
		success on their peers.
STAGE WASH UP		Members and Advisers, use this moment
		to reflect on why you joined FBLA.
		What about this club stood out to you?
	FS: BUMPER,	What do you want to do as a part of
		FBLA? What impact do you want to
		leave on your local and state chapters?
	STAGE	STAGE WASH UP

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		With FBLA, the possibilities are endless
		and no obstacle is unattainable. When
		the sky's the limit, there is no telling just
		how far Ohio FBLA can take you.
Music continues		Aliya to the Podium

#### **DINNER - INTERMISSION**

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PODIUM	PODIUM ONLY	NAMEBAR	ALIYA
	ONLI		Before we take a break to eat, please
			listen to these important instructions!
		FS: SLIDE ON INSTRUCTIONS	We ask that you please remain
			seated until an official comes to your
			table to release you. Once released,
			please quickly leave the room to grab
			your food from the designated buffet
			station. We will resume once all
			students have had a chance to begin their
			meal.
			Before we enjoy the food, let's have a
			moment of silence to express our
			thankfulness.
			(pause - 5 seconds)
			Thank you. We will now have a brief
			intermission for dinner. Again, please
			remain seated until your table is called.

BACKGROUND DINNER MUSIC, NOT BORING BUT NOT TOO MUCH :-) FS: ALTERNATE
BETWEEN OH FBLA
AND PLEASE WAIT FOR
YOUR TABLE TO BE
INVITED TO GET
DINNER

Before continuing with our program, we ask that all talent show acts please make their way backstage at this time.

PODIUM	PODIUM ONLY	NAMEBAR	KATHERINE
			While you all are eating, let's celebrate Ohio
			FBLA's talents during our annual talent
		FS: SLIDE ON INSTRUCTIONS	show! The following acts have worked
			extremely hard to perform in front of all of
			you, so let's give them our utmost respect
			while they are up on stage.
		NAMEBAR OF PERFORMANCES?	First up, we have from
	PERFORMANCES?	I LIN ONWANGES:	playing the
			Lead Applause
			Next up, a special performance from the
			State Officer team!
			What an impressive show of talent! Let's get
			one more round of applause for those
			performances.
			Lead Applause

		We will continue with our business session
BACKGROUND DINNER MUSIC, NOT BORING BUT NOT TOO MUCH :-)		in a few short minutes.

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKER INTRODUCTION 100**

PODIUM	STAGE WASH UP	NAMEBAR	<u>Jesus</u>
RAMP UP VOLUME FOR ATTENTION AS WE			Now that all of us have had a few bites it
CONTINUE MUSIC			is time to continue the show. We'll
			continue with our Keynote Speaker.
		NAMEBAR: KEYNOTE	Alex Michaels is the co-founder of Dolr,
		SPEAKER	a platform that finds borrowers extra
			money for their student loan repayment
			from where they shop and work.
			Alex received a Bachelor's Degree in
			Aviation Management from Florida
		FS: DOLR	Institute of Technology and spent 3
			years working as an airport consultant
			helping airports forecast their demand to
			plan and design terminal and airfield
			facilities. While working as an airport
			consultant, Alex completed an MBA
			with a focus in finance at the University
			of Florida. In 2019, he left his career in

	aviation to become a co-founder at Dolr
	and has focused primarily on building
	their early stage B2B sales motion.
	Dlagge join me in giving a very werm
	Please join me in giving a very warm
	welcome to Dolr's Alex Michael!

# PODIUM STAGE WASH UP FS: DOLR Alex Talks CONTINUE MUSIC

#### SPEAKER RESPONSE 120

PODIUM	PODIUM	ALLY
CONTINUE MUSIC		(Ally needs to write response that addresses a couple main points of speech, and then offer thanks)
		<u>ANNOUNCER</u>
		Thank you >>>. At this time, if you are one of your chapter's three spelling bee representatives, please make your way
		to the stage.

#### SPELLING BEE 200

PODIUM CRESENDO MUSIC MUSIC OUT	PODIUM	NAME BAR	RIYA Ohio FBLA are you ready to spell?!  It is now time for our annual Spelling Bee! Be sure to cheer on your chapter to victory V-I-C-T-O-R-Yvictory!
		FS: SPELLING BEE	The host of our annual spelling bee is none other than, our very own, Mr. Eric McGarvey! Let's welcome him to the stage!  Lead Applause

#### SPELLING BEE 205

WIRELESS 1	KEEP STAGE	NAMEBAR	ERIC MCGARVEY
	WASH UP		Switch to Wireless
			Thank you Riya & Good Evening Ohio
			FBLA! Are you ready to find out which
			chapter today's spelling champs will
			come from?! This should be fun to
			watch and I'm excited to host.
			As our Chapter Spellers join us on stage,
WALKOUT:			I'll let you in on a few ground rules
UNCANNY			before we begin.
			This will be a single elimination bee. If a
			student spells a word incorrectly, they
			will remain until one of the spellers
			following them spell the word correctly,
			and then take their seat. If no one spells
			that word correctly, it will be tossed out.
			There will be one primary speller for
			each team. Their two "ask-a-friends"

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will stand behind them, assisting only one time, on request and then taking their seat.

Students will have 15 seconds to spell their word. If necessary, they may ask for either a definition or example sentence.

Spellers: Please remember to let me know when you want to use your ask-a-friend.

Ready? Here we go, starting with...

Spelling Bee

Thank you to our spelling bee participants for taking part in the spelling bee today.

Lead Applause

#### BATTLE OF THE CHAPTERS 210

PODIUM		FS: BATTLE OF THE CHAPTER	ANNOUNCER
			Congratulations WINNING SPELLING
	STAGE WASH		BEE CHAPTER let's see if you can go
	DOWN/ PODIUM ONLY		two for two, becauseNow it is time
			for our Annual Battle of the Chapters!
			Will each chapter please send up three
			representatives for the Battle of the
			Chapters.
			While the officers organize our
			white the officers organize our
			competitors let's introduce our emcee for
			today Mr. Frank Back! Mr. Back is an
		VERIFY FRANKS YEARS	Ohio FBLA Board Member and has
			been the adviser for Lebanon High
			School for 17 years. Ohio FBLA, let's
			give Mr. Back a warm welcome!
			Battle
VT AUDIO UP			

#### FBLA PRESIDENT INTRODUCTION 220

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PODIUM		NAMEBAR	RISHABH
			Congratulations to on
	STAGE WASH DOWN/		winning our Battle of the Chapters. At
	PODIUM ONLY		this time, will all State Officer
			Candidates please report backstage?
			While they get speech ready, let's hear
		FS: MAX MICHEL	from someone who has been there
			and done that! It is my pleasure to
			welcome FBLA National President
			Aarav Dagar who is bringing greetings
			on behalf of the National Center. Please
			give Aarav a big Ohio welcome!
			Lead Applause
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#### **FBLA PRESIDENT 225**

PODIUM		NAMEBAR	AARAV
			SPEECH
	STAGE WASH		Lead Applause
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	ONLY		
		FS: MAX MICHEL	
VT AUDIO UP			

#### **CANDIDATE CAMPAIGN SPEECHES 220**

PODIUM		NAMEBAR	ALIYA
			Thank you, Aarav, for your wise words.
	STAGE WASH	FS: MAX MICHEL	I know our candidates will apply your
	DOWN/ PODIUM ONLY		lessons as they continue on their
			leadership journey.
		FS: Ohio FBLA &	We have now reached the time where
		ROTATE TO LIVE VIEW FOR SPEECHES	our State Officer Candidates will present
			their speeches. Each candidate has met
			the requirements to be a state officer and
			been certified for candidacy by the
			Board of Directors.
			Candidates, please remember that your
			speech is not to exceed 2 minutes.
			When you have reached 1 minute and 30
			seconds, Parliamentarian, Kale Kessler,
			sitting at the front will rise. When you
VT AUDIO UP			have reached 2 minutes, he will stand
			and call time.

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The order of candidates for any position has been determined by random draw. Members, please uphold a professional decorum throughout this process, just as your candidates are to do also. Thank you.

We will begin with the Candidate for the office of Historian, **Ally Bissman** from **Lebanon**.

# **Nick**

There are currently no candidates for the office of Webmaster. So next, we will hear from the candidate for the office of Reporter, **Harshita Nalapareddy** from **William Mason**.

## **Jonathan**

There are no candidates for the Office of Parliamentarian.

The next office is state treasurer. The candidate for treasurer is **Elle Davis** from **West Muskingum**.

# **Nikith**

There are no candidates for the offices of Secretary and North Region Vice President. Next, we will hear from the candidate for the office of Central Region Vice President, **Katherine Allison** from **West Muskingum**.

# **Abby**

Next, we will hear from the candidate for the office of South Region Vice

President, Riya Zutshi from William Mason.

# **Shivanshi**

Next, we will hear from the candidate for the office of Vice President of External Affairs, **Hamsa Tadpatri** from **William Mason**.

# **Nikith**

Finally, we will hear from the candidates for the office of State President. The State president is responsible for leading the state officer team and all of Ohio FBLA. A role that has been served with diligence for all 75 years of Ohio FBLA history. They represent the organization to schools, sponsors, and chapters old

and new. The President works closely with the State Director and Advisor to develop a yearly program of work and continually make our organization better.

Our candidate for state president is

Jesus Flores Morales from Thomas W.

Harvey High School.

### **Nick**

Thank you to all of our candidates and good luck! Voting delegates, be sure to take this evening to discuss the candidates with your chapter members. Remember you represent them and are responsible for selecting our organization's future leaders.

Voting is mandatory for all voting delegates and will take place tomorrow

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RAMP UP MUSIC		morning in the Ohio Room at 7:30 am.	
			Voting delegates must report by 7:25 am
			in order to vote. If you do not arrive by
			this time you may miss your window to
		have your voice heard.	
		Thank you once again to all of our candidates and good luck!	
			Lead Applause

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PODIUM	PODIUM	NAMEBAR	<u>Jesus</u>
FADEMUSIC			Best of luck to all of our candidates.
			Before we adjourn for the evening let's
		SOCIAL FLYER ON SCREEN	take a look at what's next on our
			schedule. Later tonight at 9:00 pm our
MUSIC OUT			social event begins in the pavilion and
		EVENT	Buckeye Room. While you are having
		SUBMISSIONS DUE BY 11 TO CONF HQ SIGN	fun do not forget that the open event
		CON TIGOROTA	submissions close at 10:00 pm. Then,
		VOTING TIME/LOCATION SIGN	bright and early tomorrow morning, at
			7:25 AM, voting delegates must report
			to the Ohio room to vote.
			At tonight's social, we will have a - in
		SLIDE?	the Buckeye rooms to celebrate Ohio
			FBLA.
			Take this break to relax, change into
			your conference t-shirt and jeans and get
			ready for some fun. Please don't forget
			to respect the hotel property. I hereby
			adjourn this second business session of
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			the Ohio Future Business Leaders of
		SLIDE OF 2 OFFICERS DRESSED WITH EACH OPTION & WITH NAME TAG	America State Leadership Conference.
			(one gavel tap)
			See you at the social!
			(Officers come out in a line in center of
			stage)
		VIP RECEPTION TIME/LOCATION	
		SLIDE	
RAMP UP WALK-OUT:	LIGHTS UP		