

Registration Form

**Registration closes on
January 12th at 5pm**

Each member of your team must complete a separate form. Please fill out both sides, tear off this section, and return it to the library.

Name: _____

Team Name (If known):

Phone #: _____

Grade: _____ Age: _____

Teacher: _____

Optional:

Please list the names of any friends (up to 4) or a coach who you'd like to be teamed up with. Remind your friends to turn in their registration forms too!

Coach (if known):

All activities and materials are free to participants.



**Best of Luck to All
2018 Competitors!**

Brought to you by:

- Otsego County Library
- McBain Community Library
- Ardis Missaukee Public Library
- Houghton Lake Public Library
- Roscommon Area District Library
- Richfield Township Public Library

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Schedule for Otsego County Library Teams

Thank you to our location sponsor,
the First United Methodist Church
(FUMC), located right next to the
Community Center.

Kick Off

January 13th -- 10am

Students and coaches meet at
the **Otsego County Library**;
receive information, books and
design your cool team t-shirts

Author Visit

February 5th at GIS

Meet the author of one of
our BoB Books in a special
presentation at **Gaylord
Intermediate School**.

We'll reveal the identity of
this top secret visitor at the
kickoff meeting!

Only Mock Battle February 24th -- 10 am

Otsego teams meet for a practice
battle at the **FUMC**. Be ready to
compete with all 10 books!

Local Elimination Final Battle March 10th -- 10 am

Otsego teams meet at **FUMC** to
battle for the chance to compete
in the championship! The top three
teams will advance to the battle
against the other libraries' teams.

Grand Championship Battle March 17th -- 1pm

The top three teams from each library
meet at **Houghton Lake High School
Auditorium** for the 2018 Championship!
All participants, their families, friends,
and the general public are welcome!
Participants must arrive by 12:30 pm

Battle (Pizza) Party March 20th --- 6:30pm

BOB teams, coaches and Families
are invited to celebrate the season
with a party. (**Place to be determined**
based on expansion project.)

How Battle of the Books Works

Students compete in teams of five lead
by an adult coach. They read a variety
of books chosen by librarians, and then
answer questions about the books in a
competition against other local teams.
The top three teams from each library go
on to compete against the teams from
their "rival" libraries. The team with the
most correct answers becomes the 2018
Battle of the Books Champion! Complete
rules are available at your library.

-P a r e n t s-

Please review and sign

My Child _____
has my permission to participate in the 2018
Battle of the Books.

I understand that photographs, video, or
audio recordings taken in connection with
Battle of the Books may be used to
publicize the program and/or the Library's
public service. Without reservation, I
irrevocably authorize the Library to copy,
exhibit, publish or distribute any and all
such images and audio of my child for such
purposes. In addition, I waive any right to
inspect or approve the finished product
wherein my child's voice and likeness
appears, or any written copy that may
accompany it, in whatever format used.

Signed: _____

Printed: _____