

Code Wars 2005 Rules

Junior Quiz

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| Eligibility | Xth and below |
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2 teams per school :: 2 participants per team

Trivia, tech, and all that blah... A written preliminary round (1/2 hr), followed by a fight to the death between 6 teams that qualify. The questions will include computer trivia, history, current events, a graphical round and basically anything and everything related to technology.

Senior Quiz

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| Eligibility | Open |
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2 teams per school :: 2 participants per team

If the first four-letter word that comes to your mind is GIMP, this event is for you. If not, you need to put in more hard work. A test of the best quizzers, a written preliminary round (1/2 hr) will be held. A final round will be held for teams that qualify. The questions will involve trivia, history, current events, hardware and software concepts, networking concepts, who's who, a graphical round and anything we see fit to be on a quiz.

Junior Programming

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| Eligibility | Xth and below |
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There will be 4-5 questions, to be completed in QBasic or Turbo C++, in 2 hours time. The evaluation will be attempt based, with time-bonuses involved. The questions will be logic-based.

Senior Programming

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| Eligibility | Open |
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This contest involves Logic, Logic and more Logic. There will be 4-5 questions to be completed within 2hrs. Participants have to code in Turbo C++ in which to attempt the questions. The evaluation will be attempt-based.

Crossword

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| Eligibility | Open |
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What is black and white all over? Come only if you answered 'Tux'!
Here we Test the participants brain cells, wit and their creativity in this event. There will be a written elimination round followed by a final round on stage. The clues will be cryptic.

Group Discussion

Eligibility

Open

1 participant per school

A regular (?!) group discussion. The topics:

- 1 The internet: A boon or a bane
- 2 Violence in computer game perverting teenagers
- 3 India: The outsourcing Hub

...WILL NOT BE SELECTED. The topic will be given on the spot. But, the general idea is to test how aware the participants are about the current IT news and events. This event allows participants to present their views and opinions about the past, present and future of technology.

Gaming

Eligibility

Open

1 participant per school

Tetris? Pacman? Nah, our PC's don't have enough support! Be ready for something nearer to Enter the Matrix and Age of Empires. A gruelling final round among 6 qualifiers from a preliminary.

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Eligibility

Open

1 team per school :: 2 participants per team

The N-crypton. Can't be more obvious.

Web Design

Eligibility

Open

1 team per school :: 2 participants per team

Budding Sabeer Bhatias.... Please stay away. Hotmail's too slow.

Budding Jerry Yangs, follow the Bhatias: Yahoo's even slower.

The topic for the event will be given on the spot. Participants have 2 hours to design their masterpiece. Participants will be allowed to use Photoshop, Flash and Dreamweaver. The Web Site will be judged on style, presentation, loading time, creativity and imagination. And oh, the N-crypton is about encrypted strings, each one with a different encryption scheme, and participants have to decrypt it. There will be one written round for this event.

Contact Morpheus

Eligibility

Open

1 participant per school

“Knock... Knock... Wake Up, Neo...

Yes, you are Mr. Thomas Anderson, a.k.a Neo, on a quest to discover what your world is about. And you know exactly whom you need to find, the all-knowing Morpheus.”

...And we're not giving you his phone number! We give participants a PC and they try to find Morpheus, a hidden program operating on a number of ports on a network. They can use any of the tools at their disposal (on a standard Windows PC), and try to send a message to him. This event is unique to Code Wars, and challenges the participants to work around a network use all tools available to get to a final target.

Digital Imaging

Eligibility

Open

1 participant per school

Let the imagination go wild to design an image par excellence. The topic for Digital Imaging is 'Your Own Star Wars Character'. Participants must use all their creativity and imagination to design an image on the topic declared. This event traditionally sees some of the best use of image editing software in designing and retouching images, and creating special effects through them. Do remember to submit your entries on the first day.

Surprise Event

Eligibility

Open

1 team per school :: 2 participants per team

The rules for this event will be announced on the day of the event itself (that's the surprise!). But you can be sure that it will be something interesting, amusing and challenging!

Software Display

Eligibility

Open

1 team per school :: 2 participants per team

The participants should get a ready to run version of their own software. We are providing PCs with Windows XP, Windows 98, Mandrake Linux, and Red Hat Linux 9. The participants are required to have prepared the software themselves. This event attracts some of the most brilliant future software developers.

...: General Guidelines :..

- All schools must report on time for registration. No delays will be permissible.
- All queries can be cleared at the information desk.
- Decision of the judges will be final and binding.
- Although we have tried our best to prevent any clashes, due to the sheer number of events we are hosting, it will be impossible to accommodate any clashes.
- Participants must take charge of their own belongings. The organizers are not responsible for any loss or damage.
- The schedule is subject to last minute changes. Please check any of the listed websites for any such changes.
- Students shall not be allowed to carry mobile phones.

DAY 1

| | A Lab | I Lab | Audi | A - Block Lounge | A Lab |
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| 0830-0900 | ...: REGISTRATION :.. | | | | |
| 0900-0930 | | | | | |
| 0930-1000 | | | | Jr. QUIZ PRELIMS | |
| 1000-1030 | JUNIOR PROGRAMMING | | | CROSSWORD PRELIMS | |
| 1030-1100 | | | | | |
| 1100-1130 | | | | Sr. QUIZ | |
| 1130-1200 | | | | | GROUP DISCUSSION |
| 1200-1230 | | SOFTWARE DISPLAY | | N-CRYPTON | |
| 1230-1300 | | | | | |
| 1300-1330 | .: LUNCH :. | | | | |
| 1330-1400 | | | | | |
| 1400-1430 | | | Jr. QUIZ FINALS | | |

DAY 2

| | A Lab | D Lab | Audi | I Lab |
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| 0830-0900 | ...: REGISTRATION :: | | | |
| 0900-0930 | SENIOR PROGRAMMING | GAMING | CROSSWORD FINALS | SURPRISE EVENT |
| 0930-1000 | | | | |
| 1000-1030 | | | | |
| 1030-1100 | | | | |
| 1100-1130 | | | | |
| 1130-1200 | CONTACT MORPHEUS | WEB DESIGNING | | |
| 1200-1230 | | | | |
| 1230-1300 | | | | |
| 1300-1330 | .: LUNCH .: | | | |
| 1330-1400 | | | Sr. QUIZ FINALS | |
| 1400-1430 | | | | |
| 1430-1500 | ...: PRIZE DISTRIBUTION ... | | | |
| 1500-1530 | | | | |