

# ODYSSEY OF THE MIND



## NC Eastern Region Odyssey of the Mind 2021 Coaches Webinar



*Good evening! We'll start in a few minutes.*

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## Webinar Topics

- Virtual vs In Person teams and memberships
- Membership price increases
- 2021-2022 Problems
- 2021-2022 NCOM Eastern Region Calendar
- Resources – where to go for help
- Q&A

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## *Virtual vs In-Person Teams*

- All teams will participate in NCOM events
- Virtual Teams will compete in an online competition run by OotM, not NCOM.
  - Compete vs. teams from other states
  - Teams will advance to most likely a Virtual World Finals
- In-Person teams will compete in a regional NCOM tournament
  - Compete vs. teams from NC
  - Teams will advance to the NCOM State Tournament, and from there to the in-person World Finals event
  - In Person World Finals will be at Iowa State University around Memorial Day Weekend 2022



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## *Membership Price Increases*



	Now	On 10/16/21
One school	\$135	\$290
Additional Membership	\$100	\$190
6-10 schools for a district	\$120/school	\$250/school
11+ schools for a district	\$100/school	\$235/school
Virtual	\$125/team	TBD

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## 2021 Problems

<https://www.odysseyofthemind.com/problems/>



- **Virtual Membership teams:**

- Primary, Problem 2, Problem 3 only



- **In-Person teams: all problems**

- Primary: Tri-Cycle Transport
- Problem 1: Escape vroom
- Problem 2: Odyssey ReOMvention
- Problem 3: (Name Here): The Musical Production
- Problem 4: Matryoshka Structure
- Problem 5: Life is a Circus!



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## 2021-2022 Eastern Region Calendar

<https://ncome.org>

- Sat. 11/6/21: Coaches Training  
Durham Technical Community College
- Sat. 12/4/21: Skills Fair, in-person, location TBD
- Sat. 1/22/22: Spontaneous Fair, in-person, location TBD
- Sat. 2/12/22: Tournament Prep Webinar for Coaches
- Sat. 2/26/22: Judges Training, potentially Primary Tournament
- Sat. 3/5/22: NCOM Eastern Region Tournament, location TBD
- Sat. 4/2/22: NCOM State Tournament  
Western Carolina University, Cullowhee, NC
- May 25-28, 2022: World Finals  
Iowa State University



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## Resources – Where to go for Help

- Attend coaches training!!!!
- Web sites:
  - [NCOM Eastern Region - https://ncome.org](https://ncome.org)
  - [OotM - https://www.odysseyofthemind.com](https://www.odysseyofthemind.com)
  - [NCOM Eastern Region Wiki - https://www.ncome.org/doku/doku.php](https://www.ncome.org/doku/doku.php)
- Program Guide:
  - <https://www.odysseyofthemind.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/2022-Program-Guide.pdf>
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# QUESTIONS?

