Vox Latina

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INTRODUCTION:

Are you ready for the 2017–2018 WABC Junior Classical League Convention? In this issue there will be information on what to pack for convention, the spirit rules, and any important information you need to know.

LATIN PHRASES:

Per aspera ad astra
Through difficulties to the stars

Dum spiro spero
While I breathe, I hope

Omnia vincit amor
Love conquers all

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IMPORTANT Things to Know:
-Bring Art Supplies for Arts and Crafts Drive and earn Spirit points ex: Round plastic caps or lids (the screw in kind), streamers, balloons, school glue, clothespins, bean bags
-Bring money for any merchandise purchases you want to make
-Bring COINS for Coin Wars
1. Participation in roll call
2. Participation in coin wars
3. Spirit and cheering at assemblies and Roman Procession (cool costumes count too!)
4. Creative school banners
5. Arts and crafts drive participation* (ex: streamers, balloons, school glue, Clothespins, bean bags)
6. Conversational Latin (around officers/SCL who will keep track how often students start up a conversation in Latin)
7. School spirit day spirit gear
8. Bringing reusable water bottles to assemblies—when you bring them you get a sticker!

*Sponsors/teachers will collect supplies and bring them to officers

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**Packing List Recommendations**

- Flashlights and portable chargers
- Sleeping bag/blankets and pillows
- Comfortable clothes and shoes, dress in layers
- JCL purple-and-gold for Saturday and school spirit wear for Sunday
- Roman attire for the Saturday banquet
- Towel and toiletries (ex: shower supplies and flip-flops for shower)
- Athletic wear for competing in Olympika (no spikes)
- Necessary medication (must be given to delegation head)
- Snacks and water bottle (bring a water bottle and receive a free WABC JCL sticker)
- Spare change for Coin Wars
- Artwork and other convention materials
- Art supplies for Warm Beach Arts & Crafts drive
- **X** No alcohol, tobacco, vaping materials, or other prohibited substances
- **X** No knives (including pocket knives and multitools), lighters, firearms, any weapon that could be constructed as a weapon
WABC JCL Catalogue

Offered this year:

Stickers*

![Sticker Image]

$0.50 each, or 5 for $2.00

Pin Buttons

![Pin Button Image]

$1 each, or 5 for $4.00

Exciting things are in store for 2019! Due to NJCL regulations, these items cannot be purchased this year at WABC Convention. However, they will be available next year with an updated logo!

Long-sleeved shirts & Hoodies:

![Long-sleeved Shirt Images]

![Hoodie Images]
HOW TO MAKE A

1. Basic toga

Take a corner of the sheet in one hand, leaving about 6 to 8 inches to spare. Hold the sheet in front of the top of your right shoulder.

- Drape the sheet across your chest and tuck under your left arm.
- Wrap the sheet around your back. Tuck it under your right arm and once more around the front of your chest.
- After bringing the sheet across your chest, under your left arm the second time and around your back, bring the second corner up over your back. Secure the two ends with a knot.
- Secure the layers tightly with a couple of hidden safety pins inside the toga.
- Add a belt around your waist.

2. Sari-style toga

- Hold the corner of the sheet at hip level at your left side. It should be covering the front of your body, but not the back.
- Wrap the fabric around your back to form a skirt. Wrap until it overlaps the first corner by a few inches.
- Pin it in place with a safety pin.
- Throw the remainder of the sheet over your right shoulder.

3. Greek chiton

- Get a sheet that is the same length as your height and twice the width as your arm span.
- Fold the fabric in half widthwise. When folded in half, the sheet should stretch from fingertip to fingertip.
- Sew a straight line along the open end of the fabric, directly across from the folded edge.
- Use safety pins to pin the corners of the top open edge. From there, pin this open upper edge at even intervals of 2 to 3 inches, leaving extra space for your arms and head.
- Slip the chiton over your head and adjust the pins if necessary.
- Tie a cord around your waist.
