**Long Island Forensics Extravaganza LP Prompts**

**Important Instructions:**

Students doing Impromptu and Extemporaneous speaking must submit 2 videos - one for prelims and one for the final round. LP prompts were posted Friday morning, November 24th, at 9AM E.T. All video links, along with team entries, will be due Monday, November 27th, at 9PM E.T.

We follow identical asynchronous tournament procedures held by OATS (Online Asynchronous Tournament Series), where students maintain an "honor system" for recording LP events. Students must only use their allotted 30 minutes of preparation time for Extemp and only 7 minutes total for Impromptu to prep and speak. Also, video submissions for Impromptu MUST contain the speaker’s preparation upon starting the video.

**EXTEMP PROMPTS**

**Rounds 1 & 2 - Video 1**

1. Has Saudi Arabia lost control of the global oil market?
2. Would political turnover in Israel help or hinder its war against Hamas?
3. Who will be the next prime minister of the Netherlands?

**Final Round - Video 2**

1. Should the U.S. take in refugees from Gaza?
2. Is X a dying social media platform?
3. Will an FBI investigation shorten Eric Adams's tenure as New York City’s mayor?

**IMPROMPTU PROMPTS**

**Rounds 1 & 2 - Video 1**

* “Blame is a lazy man’s wages.” (Danish Proverb)
* “It’s easy to be brave from a safe distance.” (Aesop)

**Final Round - Video 2**

* “Desperation is the raw material of drastic change.” (William S. Burrows)
* “Ideas pull the trigger, but instinct loads the gun.” (Don Marquis)