**Twenty Questions to ask your team the week before the Competition**

20. Have you filled out a Cost Form and do we have copies of any receipts and of the form?

19. Have you filled out the Style Form and made 4 photocopies?

18. Have you filled out two copies of the Outside Assistance form?

17. Do you have any other required lists (as specified in some problems), and extra copies?

16. Do you have any team clarifications you need to give the judges? Have you made copies?

15. Is the team sign “legal” and will it be visible the entire performance?

14. Do all parents (and family members) know how to get to the Meet and what time to be there?

13. Do we have a camera to take pictures? Would a team member like to be in charge of that?

12. How can you be sure you won’t go overtime?

11. What if the scenery (or props) fall down?

10. What if someone forgets his/her lines?

9. Who is going to do a verbal spontaneous problem?

8. Who is going to do a hands-on spontaneous problem?

7. Do we have a master list and a person in charge of making sure everything we need, include the fix-it kit, arrives at the tournament on time?

6. Does everyone know our schedule?

5. Do you all have watches you can wear, if possible?

4. How can we show our Odyssey of the Mind spirit and good sportsmanship?

3. Do all parents understand the Outside Assistance rules (including on Tournament Day?)

2. Does everyone know that our team is a great team and you are all winners, because you hay won knowledge, skills and abilities that you will keep all your lives?

1. And lastly, Coach, two questions for YOU: have you planned a party or reward for this group that has worked so hard all year? And have you planned a rest period for yourselfthe day after the Meet????

Take a good look at how far this team has come and then remind yourself that **it is the journey and not the score on the day of the competition, that will be remembered forever!**