

Official Rules & Prizes

Who Can Compete

The adult divisions are open to anyone 15 years and up. Students, grades 2 through 8 should be participating in the student division; however, families wanting to compete in the 4-person adult division are allowed to have younger members if desired. The “Teammates” teams, must be comprised of the Teammate Mentor and their Mentee.

Puzzle Information

Four (4) Person Adult Teams will be piecing together identical 750 piece puzzles.

Two (2) Person Adult Teams will be piecing together identical 400 piece puzzles.

Individual adult competition will be piecing together identical 350 piece puzzles.

Two (2) Person Elementary School Team (2nd and 3rd Grade Only) will be piecing together identical 100 piece puzzles.

Two (2) Person Elementary School Team (4th and 5th Grade Only) will be piecing together identical 200 piece puzzles.

Two (2) Person Elementary/Jr. High School Team (6th through 8th Grade Only) will be piecing together identical 300 piece puzzles.

The “Teammates” teams must consist of the following:

Mentor and their 2nd or 3rd grade Mentee piecing together identical 200 piece puzzles.

Mentor and their 4th or 5th grade Mentee piecing together identical 300 piece puzzles.

Mentor and their 6th-12th grade Mentee piecing together identical 400 piece puzzles.

Winners

Winners will be determined within each division through the following methods:

A. 1st, 2nd and 3rd places determined by puzzle completion in the shortest amount of time.

B. If puzzles are not completed in allotted time, then the order of places (1st, 2nd and 3rd, etc) will be determined by tournament judges based on a count of the fewest remaining pieces and most connected sections.

Prizes

The 1st place team member winners in each division will be given \$25 in Chamber Bucks, and an award certificate

The 2nd place team member winners in each division will be given \$10 in Chamber Bucks and an award certificate

The 3rd place team member winners in each division will be given an award certificate.

Team Member Substitution

Teams may substitute members as needed with new members in the same team division (due to illness or unavailability) without penalty. However, it is up to the team contact to inform tournament officials of name substitution, so it is correct in our official results.

The Puzzle Competition is a fundraiser for the “Longhorn Pride” Program at Burwell Elementary.