## 2018 Methanex





## Methanex Maths Spectacular Quiz

Venue: Grand Ballroom at The Plymouth Hotel

Date: Wednesday 15 August 2018

Prizes:  $1^{st} \sim $400 \text{ per team ($100 per person)}$ 

 $2^{nd}$  ~ \$300 per team (\$75 per person)  $3^{rd}$  ~ \$200 per team (\$50 per person)

Time: 4 pm ~ Year 9

5 pm ~ Year 10 7 pm ~ Year 7 8 pm ~ Year 8

## Rules:

A team may have a MAXIMUM of four competitors.

- Registered schools may enter up to TWO teams per level. Composite teams formed from different year levels may be entered but they must take part in the quiz intended for the higher level, e.g., a composite Year 7 and 8 team must be entered in the Year 8 competition.
- Apart from pens, pencils, rulers and scientific (non-programmable) calculators, NO other MATHEMATICAL AIDS are allowed.

Please make sure that this rule is followed as infringement may lead to the disqualification on of a team.

- A question answered correctly on the first attempt scores five marks. If answered correctly on the second attempt it scores four marks and so on, until I the minimum mark of one mark is reached.
- Each question must be attempted at least twice before a team decides to 'pass' and move on to the next question.
- A team may NOT go back and re-attempt a "passed" question.
- Teams should not spend too long on any single question. A useful strategy is to attempt as many questions as possible.
- In the event of a tie for first, second or third place, only the tied teams will answer a tie-breaker question to decide the final placing.
- Ensure that your teams are present at least 20 minutes before they are due to start.
  The quizzes will start at the advertised time and any late teams will run the risk of disqualification.